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2nd July	Malta ..	7000	Khyber ..	9000
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R. AITKEN,
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Capital	£1,200,000
Reserve	£1,800,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders ...	£1,200,000

HEAD OFFICE.
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Karachi	Klang (F.M.S.)	Shanghai
Amritsar	Seremban (F.M S.)	Tientsin
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Taiping (F.M.S	Saigon	Peking
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Interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on the minimum monthly balance if not under Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 1,00,000 but no interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half yearly.
Amounts above Rs. 1,00,000 will be received on terms which may be ascertained upon application. Government Securities, Stocks and Shares bought and sold on account of clients and also received for safe custody and collection of Interest and Dividends when due.
FIXED DEPOSITS
Are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
GEORGE MILLER,
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Paid-up Capital	£1,000,000
Reserve Fund	£1,200,000

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Reserve Liability of Proprietors ...	$15,000,000
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CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED	Rs. 1,00,00,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP	Rs. 50,00,000
RESERVE FUND	Rs. 7,00,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest is allowed on daily balances from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,00,000 at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum from December 1st to May 21st and 2 per cent. per annum for the remaining six months. On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000 interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 3 per half year.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
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H. P. STRINGFELLOW,
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Capital Authorized	Rs. 50,00,000
Capital Issued	Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Subscribed	Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Paid-up	Rs. 15,75,958
Reserve Funds	Rs. 11,21,541

HEAD OFFICE—LAHORE.
Branches.
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FIXED DEPOSITS are received for 12 months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
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SETH GHARIBDAS,
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Subscribed Capital	£1,125,000
Paid-up Capital	£562,500
Reserve Liability of Shareholders ...	£562,500
Reserve Fund	£550,000

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London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.
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The Bank receives Deposits on the following terms:—
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Interest allowed at 2 per cent. on the actual daily balances up to Rs. 1 lakh.
Sums above Rs. 1 lakh will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
The Bank undertakes on behalf of its Constituents the purchase and sale of Government Securities. Stocks and Shares and receives same for Safe Custody, realising interest and Dividends when due.
J. B. CRICHTON,
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Esplanade Road, Bombay.

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Branches at Bombay, Calcutta, Bagdad and Basra.

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Called-up Capital	£600,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders ...	£900,000
Reserve Fund	£55,000

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NOTICES

NOTICE.

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All persons having any claim against the said property either by way of inheritance, gift, sale, mortgage, charge, lien, lease, easement or otherwise are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his office at 16 Oak Lane, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof; otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same if any will be considered as having been waived.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Ripon Road outside the Fort in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 524 New No. 2AA/1403 Old Survey No. 152A/3553 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Taxes under E Ward No. 3897(4) Street No. 84D and containing by admeasurement 150 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows:—that is to say on or towards the East by the property of Jumabhai Shaiff on or towards the West by the property of Esa Sawsar on or towards the North by the property of Sunderdas Mulji and on or towards the South by Ripon Road and which and all the premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the Vendor's tenants.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1916.

N. C. DALAL, 4259 Purchaser's Attorney.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of GAJANAN GOVIND ACHARYA, late of Bombay Brahmin Hindu Inhabitant a clerk, in the employ of Messrs. Shepherd & Coy. ..... Deceased.

SHRIPAD GAJANAN ACHARYA of Bombay Brahmin Hindu Inhabitant, a College student, residing at Khotas Oart, Girgaon, without the Fort, the son of the abovenamed deceased, ... Petitioner.

ALL persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir BASIL SCOTT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this twenty-fifth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) A. M. KAJIJI, Registrar.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABARI, The 25th day of May, 1916.

Messrs. JEHANGIR MEHTA & SOMJEE, 4266 Petitioner's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned has reason to believe that somebody is FALSELY IMPERSONATING the Private Secretary of the Chief Dasada and imposing on the public of Bombay. The undersigned trusts that the public of Bombay would be WARNED and that the IMPOSTORE, if found, HANDED to the Commissioner of Police, Bombay.

ISSA ISSAK MANDOO, Private Secretary to the Chief of Dasada, 1022 Kathiawar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that ODHAVJI HURJIVAN and DAHYABHAI ODHAVJI, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have contracted to sell the property hereinafter described. All persons having any claims or demands against or to the said property either by way of mortgage, gift, sale, use, trust, possession, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office No. 48, Medows Street, Fort, within 15 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim or demand and the same if any will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 221 3/9 square yards or thereabouts together with the messuage tenement or building or Dharamsalla standing thereon assessed by the Municipality of Bombay formerly under No. 64 and now under D Ward No. 3072 Street No. 55 all which premises are situate at Walkeshwar, Bangaga Road at Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and are bounded on the East by a Public passage on the West by the Dharmsalla of Photia Mahajan on the North by the public passage and on the South by the property of Famjee Chatur and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the Vendors and their tenants.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1916.

VACHHA & Co., 4261 Purchaser's Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

No. 296 of 1916.

Re: The Firm of Ramchand Harichand of Bombay Multani Shroffs lately carrying on business at Nandevi Street, outside the Fort; Adjudged Insolvents.

WHEREAS the abovenamed Firm of Ramchand Harichand have been this day duly adjudged to have committed acts of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvents do vest in the Official Assignee of this Hon. Court and it is further ordered that the said Insolvents do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon them, attend the Office of the said Official Assignee.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1916.

R. B. PATEL, Chief Clerk.

Chief Clerk's Office, High Court, Fort, Bombay, this 2nd June, 1916. 4258

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DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 2nd June 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are moderately clouded in the extreme north and clear elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect; night temperature is also below normal in the south-eastern districts.

The United Provinces.—Jhansi reports 0.50in. of rain. Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Temperature is in moderate to considerable defect.

Sind and Rajputana.—No telegrams have been received from Ajmer, Mount Abu and Kotah. Rainfall is nearly general in west Rajputana and local in east Rajputana. Bikaner has had 1.97in., Jodhpur 0.29in. and Jaipur 0.14in. Skies are lightly clouded in lower Sind and clear elsewhere. The air is damper than usual. Temperature is in defect in Rajputana.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Rainfall has been nearly general in Gujarat and local in Central India West. Surat has had 0.42in., Ahmedabad 0.18in., Deesa 0.33in. and Neemuch 0.14in. Skies are moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is in defect in Gujarat and Central India West.

The Central Provinces.—Raipur reports 0.17in. of rain. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Temperature is in defect.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been general. Bombay has had 0.32in., Ratnagiri 2.39in., Mormugao 2.36in., and Karwar 0.88in. Skies are overcast. The air is damper than usual. Temperature is in defect except at Bombay.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Rainfall has been nearly general in Hyderabad and local in the Bombay Deccan; Sholapur has had 0.50in., Belgaum 0.11in., Aurangabad 0.33in., Nizamabad 0.19in., and Hyderabad 0.23in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. The air is damper than usual. Day temperature is in defect; night temperature is also below normal in Hyderabad.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has been nearly general on the west coast of the Peninsula and in Hyderabad, Gujarat and west Rajputana and local in the Madras and the Bombay Deccan, Central India West, east Rajputana and on the north Madras coast, while some showers have occurred in the United and the Central Provinces. Conditions in the east Arabian Sea remain such as are associated with an advance of the monsoon. There has, however, been some decrease in the rainfall in Malabar.

Nearly general rain is likely on the west coast of the Peninsula and local rain in the Deccan and some showers in Gujarat, Kathiawar and central parts of the country. A few showers may occur also in north-west India, and possibly in the United Provinces.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a. m. on FRIDAY, the 2nd of June 1916.

STATIONS	Temp. in Shade: Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp. in Shade: Minimum of past 24 hours	Rainfall: 8 A. M.	Rainfall: past 24 hours	Rainfall: Total 1st November to date.	Departure, 1st November to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (1st)	89.5	79.0	76	..	0	0
Jask	102.6	83.3	45	..	0	0
Muskat	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do (1st)	103.3	91.1	49	..	0	—0.03
PUNJAB—						
Multan	103 8	85.3	51	..	0	0
Rawalpindi	94.5	71.9	47	0.05	0.06	0
Lahore	97.8	74.5	66	0.05	0 16	0.14
Hissar	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ambala	97.7	77.1	44	0.03	0 03	0 03
Delhi	96 8	76.8	60	0.43	0.43	0 42
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	100.8	79.9	49	..	0	0
Mainpuri	97 1	80.3	50	..	0	0
Jhansi	101.0	74.8	58	0.50	0.57	0.57
Cawnpore	91.0	77.3	66	0 47	0.47	0 42
Allahabad	99.1	78.2	52	..	..	..
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobabad	115 3	86.8	62	..	0	..
Karachi	91 0	83 1	88	..	0	0.01
Ajmer	..	..	..	..	0	0
Jaipore	103.5	70.4	61	0.14	0.14	0.14
Kotah	..	..	..	..	0	0
Mount Abu	..	..	..	..	0	0
GUJARAT KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	98.6	79.7	70	..	0	0
Dwarka	91 3	82 7	81	..	0	—0.03
Veraval	87.1	83 1	82	..	0	0
Rajkot	100.2	77.3	71	..	0.56	0 86
Bhavnagar Pars	101 8	77.4	68	..	0	—0 02
Surat	95.2	71.7	80	0.42	0.42	0.42
Ahmedabad	104.9	74.6	79	0.18	0.18	0.18
Deesa	105.9	77.9	76	0.53	0.53	0.53
Neemuch	96.0	73.0	76	0.14	0.54	0 55
Indore	98.3	72.1	82	0.09	0.09	0 01
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	97.9	79.9	42	..	0	0
Saugor	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hoshangabad	..	..	..	..	..	..
Khandwa	100.4	75.9	71	..	0	—0.03
Akola	101.0	77.7	60	..	0	—0 15
Amraoti	100.8	75.3	70	0.01	0.01	—0.17
Nagpur	98 6	76.9	58	..	0	—0 29
Chanda	100.7	78.0	72	..	0	—0 13
Raipur	..	..	..	0.17	0 57	0.45
KONKAN—						
Bombay	89.1	80 2	88	0.32	0.32	—0 04
Ratnagiri	81.7	74.7	96	2.39	2 35	1 40
Mormugao	84.4	76.7	95	2.20	3 99	2 89
Karwar	80.3	75.0	95	0.88	2.48	0 88
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	..	..	..	..	0	..
Ahmednagar	91.2	72 4	74	..	0 06	0 2
Poona	93 4	74 5	73	..	0 13	0.13
Sholapur	88 5	72.1	81	0.50	1.60	1.38
Bijapur	90.7	74 9	82	..	0	—0 35
Belgaum	79.2	68 2	95	0.11	0 17	0.22
Aurangabad	95 2	72 1	69	0 53	0 53	0 38
Nizamabad (Indur)	96 7	75 2	81	0.19	0 59	—0 53
Hyderabad	93 3	72.5	81	0.23	0 31	0 15
MALABAR AND CEYLON						
Mangalore	80.3	74.0	89	1.32	5 11	3 69
Calicut	81.5	75.5	98	0.95	3.32	2.21
Cochin	87 8	77.3	79	0.16	1 16	—0 35
Colombo	87.2	80 4	80	..	0	0 68
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	100 3	74 2	87	2.15	2.15	1.98
Bellary	91.1	75.5	69	..	0.04	0 12
Cuddapah	97.6	77.3	81	0.19	0.31	0.10
Madras	97 7	83 6	55	..	0 81	—0 69
Bangalore	79 7	67.5	85	..	0	0 38
Coimbatore	89 3	73 4	85	..	0 05	0 04
Trichinopoly	93 1	80 7	63	..	0.03	—0 04
Negapatam	95.6	79.1	77	..	0.05	—0 03

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometers :—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 2nd June 1916, was 29.011 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ships' barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by .010 inch for every 19 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

ALL-INDIA WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, June 2.

The monsoon has appeared on the west coast and is extending into the interior. An advance, probably temporary, is also occurring over the Bay where a storm may be forming. Nearly general rain has fallen in Lower Burma; Rajputana, west coast of the Peninsula, Hyderabad, Madras, Deccan and north Madras coast and local rain in Chota Nagpur, North Bengal, Gujarat, Central India east of Central Provinces, and Bombay Deccan.

The principal amounts are:—Port Blair one inch; Tavoy seven; Dinajpur four; Balasore and Gaya one and a half; Jhansi a half; Mount Abu one; Ajmer three-quarters; Bikaner, Ratnagri and Marmagao two; Mangalore one and a half; Karwar, Calicut, Kurnool one; Raichur three; Masulipatam two; Calingapatam one.

Forecast:—A diminution of rainfall in north Bengal and an increase in north-east of the Peninsula.

THE MONSOON.

The Port Officer, Bombay, received the following telegraphic communication from the Meteorological Department, Simla, yesterday at 12-45 a.m.:—

"Monsoon conditions prevail south of Latitude 20. Lower signal."

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA

Bombay, 2nd Jun 1916.

Means of observations taken at 6 a. m. 10 a. m. 2 p. m. 4 p. m. and 10 p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr	29.721 Inc.
Temperature of Air	84.6 Deg
Wet Bulb Thermometer	79.7 ,,
Dew Point	78.0 ,,
Relative humidity of Air	0.809 ,,
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy=10)	8.2 ,,
Maximum temperature of Air	89.1 ,,
Minimum	81.6 ,,
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	SSW, SW, S
Movement of Wind do. do.	139 Miles.
Fall of Rain	0.19 Inches.
Total fall during month	0.19 ,,
Do. do. year	0.30 ,,
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 2nd	1.04

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock.

		HIGH WATER			LOW WATER		
Day of Week.	Day of Month.	Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Still.	Day of Month.	Bombay Mean time.	Depth on Still.
	Jun.	h. m.		ft. in.	Jun.	h. m.	ft. in.
Fri.	2	m	0 40a	28 0	2	m 5 34	15 11
						6 39a	19 7
Sat.	3	m	0 14	25 4	3	m 6 7	16 2
			1 12a	27 11		m 7 13a	19 7
Sun.	4	m	0 49	25 2	4	m 6 40	16 6
			1 43a	27 7		m 7 47a	19 8
Mon.	5	m	1 25	24 11	5	m 7 13	17 0
			2 13a	27 3		m 8 23a	19 9
Tues.	6	m	2 3	24 8	6	m 7 47	17 7
			2 45a	26 10		m 9 2a	19 10
Wed.	7	m	2 46	24 4	7	m 8 24	18 3
			3 20a	26 5		9 46	19 6
Thur.	8	m	3 38	24 1	8	m 9 8	19 1
			3 59a	26 0		10 41a	19 6

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week :—

June	Sunrise	Sunset
,, 2 (Friday)	,, 6h 1m.	,, 7h. 12m.
,, 3 (Saturday)	,, 6h 1m.	,, 7h. 13m.
,, 4 (Sunday)	,, 6h. 1m.	,, 7h. 13m.
,, 5 (Monday)	,, 6h. 1m.	,, 7h. 14m.
,, 6 (Tuesday)	,, 6h. 1m.	,, 7h. 14m.
,, 7 (Wednesday)	,, 6h. 1m.	,, 7h. 14m.
,, 8 (Thursday)	,, 6h. 1m.	,, 7h. 15m.

PHASES OF THE MOON :—

New Moon, June 1st, 1h. 7-3m. a.m.; In Apogea, 4th, 3-0h. a.m.; First Quarter, 9th, 5h. 29.0m. a.m.; Full Moon, 16th, 3 h. 11-7 a.m.; In Perigee, 16th, 8-1h. p.m.; Last Quarter, 22nd, 6h. 46-3m. p.m.

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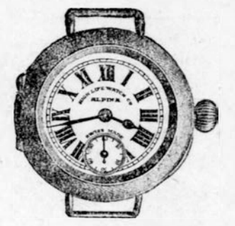

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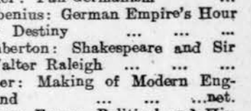

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ARRIVALS.

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DEPARTURE.

June 1.
Almerian — Holmes — Hull

The following vessels entered for loading :—

Steamer — Griqua — for — Marmagoa
" — Berbera — for — London
Thursday, 1st June, 1916.

June 2.

S. S. Rangoon Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Rangoon Maru left Singapore for Colombo (Westward bound) on the 1st instant.

S. S. Bombay Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Bombay Maru left Singapore for Hongkong (Eastward bound) on the 1st instant.

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EXPORTS.

June 2.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Inverbervie (s) 30 bales wool, L. Curumsee; 59 bales wool, K. Mootjee; 26 bales wool, F. F. Campbell and Co.; 291 bales wool, W. and A. Graham and Co.; 136 bales wool, D. Koordanmal; 100 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 9 bales cotton fly, M. Khastoorchand; 4,999 cwts. linseed, Ralli Brothers; 25 bales wool, J. M. Dana; 7 bales wool, M. Laxminarayan.

FOR NEW YORK.

Griqua (s) 11,500 cwts. castor seed, Ralli Brothers.

Caledonia (s) 5 bales woollen carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

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FOR LONDON.

Caledonia (s) 443 bales hemp, G. Veerji and Co.; 64 cases bristles, J. A. Beghie and Co.; 450 cwts. turmeric, G. Sukhdeoa.

Berbera (s) 325 bales hemp, G. Veerji and Co.; 100 bales hemp, St. Gervais Baker and Co.; 225 cwts. dry cuttles, N. Khushaldas; 300 cwts. cassia, C. Jivanlal and Co.; 46,930 cwts. linseed, Ralli Brothers; 9,851 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers; 1,000 cwts. mustard seed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR GENOA.

Catania (s) 500 bales cotton, K. Devchand and Co.

FOR HULL.

Wilton Hall (s) 1,931 cwts. linseed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Indo Maru (s) 500 bales cotton, Y. K. Kwaisha; 200 bales cotton, T. Nishimatsu and Co.; 300 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

Kirin Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, O. S. Kaisha.

Moyori Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha; 4 cwts. ivory, A. Jadeck.

FOR OSAKA.

Indo Maru (s) 117 bales cotton, Tata Sons and Co.; 200 bales cotton, Boyel and Co.

Kirin Maru (s) 250 bales cotton, T. Yuasa.

FOR YOKKAICHI.

Indo Maru (s) 300 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 200 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.

FOR NAGASAKI.

Indo Maru (s) 300 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR MOJI.

Indo Maru (s) 250 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 200 bales cotton, Y. K. Kwaisha; 357 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR KOBE.

Indo Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, H. Meghji and Co.; 200 bales cotton, T. Yuasa; 200 bales cotton, G. Dossa and Co.; 983 bales cotton, Tata Sons and Co.; 159 bales cotton, D. D. Curranee and Co.; 200 bales cotton, K. H. Kayani and Co.; 600 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 850 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 100 bales cotton, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 100 bales cotton, K. Devchand and Co.; 200 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 300 bales cotton, C. Bomanji and Co.

Kirin Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 300 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.

Moyori Maru (s) 2½ cwts. ivory, A. H. Mawji and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Chakrata (s) 300 bales cotton twist, David Sassoon and Co.; 100 bales cotton twist, I. David; 150 bales cotton twist, M. B. Kaisha.

Kirin Maru (s) 125 cwts. gum bhesabole, M. Jafferbhoy; 29 cwts. sharkfins, H. Mamsouni.

Moyori Maru (s) 2½ cwts. ivory, A. H. Mawji and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Kirin Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, H. Nensey and Co.; 50 bales cotton, T. Yuasa.

IMPORTS.

June 2.

S. S. Caledonia from London, Agents P. and O. S. N. Co.—128 packages medicine, 4 hogsheads gin, 350 cases 30 packages brandy, 4 cases vin rouge, 1,700 casks cement, 300 casks China clay, 100 drums 36 cases oil varnish, 6 cases motor car and parts, 9 cases boots and shoes, 17 casks 12 packages ivory, 20 boxes lights calcium, 2 boxes bar gold, 604 bars silver, 3 boxes gold coins, 1 case gold, 1 box assayes, 8 cases musical instrument, 9 cases cigarettes, 193 cases 1 cask 6 hogsheads 207 packages wine, 70 cases claret, 25 cases peas, 106 cases plums, 15 cases preserves, 8 cases chocolate, 2 cases syrup, 6 cases cocoa, 4 cases hams and bacon, 5 cases perfumery, 19 cases confectionery, 3 cases castor oil, 8 packages soda carbonate, 720 kegs white lead, 716 kegs paint, 25 kegs red lead, 4 cases grease, 5 cases silk goods, 3 cases cosmatic, 5 cases phosphoric acid, 4 cases rum, 1 case hides, 40 kegs litharge, 10 drums linseed oil, 2 cases lampblack, 5 packages canvas, 10 cases roller skin, 2 cases tyres, 11 cases colour, 4 cases leather, 72 cases provisions, 10 cases sauce, 2 cases umbrellas, 17 cases motor accessories, 2 cases perfumed spirit, 7 cases rubber, 1 crate earthenware, 10 cases tobacco, 3 cases cottons, 14 cases silk and cotton goods, 44 cases mixed tissue.

S. S. Indo Maru from Nagoya, Agents O. S. Kaisha.—418 cases porcelainware, 1,170 packages pine board 35 cases camphor, 1,400 casks cement, 250 bags starch, 399 casks pitch, 251 casks coal tar, 191 packages sawn pine, 3,211 packages 2,072 pieces wood planks, 345 bundles rattans, 35 cases peppermint oil, 22 cases cotton yarn, 450 cases biscuits, 7 bales canvas, 4 cases peppermint crystal, 21 cases silk yarn, 1,350 cases beer, 9 bales cotton shirting, 43 bales cotton drill, 9 cases umbrella furniture, 2 cases sulphuric acid, 2 cases cotton thread, 98 cases 99 casks nitric acid, 19 cases brass bar, 679 cases 148 drums bleaching powder, 194 cases enamelware, 10 cases blankets, 6 cases umbrella sticks, 3 cases parasol, 96 cases cotton goods, 4 cases musical instruments 3 cases spectacles, 6 cases mirrors, 7 cases nickleware, 16 cases 100 crates bottles, 10 cases bamboo stick, 5 bales hemp twine, 153 cases silk goods, 33 cases glass beads, 23 cases rubber goods, 4 cases perfumery, 264 chests 104 cases tea, 2 cases bristle fibre, 7 cases knitted good, 7 cases canned goods, 1 case wooden stick, 2 cases copper foils, 1 case chocolate, 13 cases champagne, 178 cases vermouth, 2 cases tissues, 2 cases watches, 11 cases saccarine, 25 bags nutmegs, 53 bags pepper, 174 bags sago, 50 bags coffee, 168 bags pine apple, 523 bags betel nuts, 1,396 bags sago flour, 4 bundles sesma, 561 slabs tin, 2 bags nux vomica, 14 bags cuttle fish, 8 bags brass, 14 bags copper, 68 bars zinc, 150 cases firecrackers, 174 bales fibre, 147 bags copra, 7 cases pine apple, 1 case silk goods, 6 cases honey, 32 cases dried fruit, 11 cases canned asparagus, 1 case leather belting, 29 bales matting, 575 cases canned fruit, 2 boxes raisins, 1 case olives, 1 case pickles, 50 drums asphaltum, 1,490 cases canned salmon.

S. S. Kirin Maru from Yokohama, Agents N. Y. Kaisha.—85 cases cotton goods, 2 cases knitted goods, 9 cases leather goods, 540 cases porcelainware, 18 bales cotton sheeting, 5 cases umbrella furniture, 15 cases soap, 481 cases camphor, 761 casks cement, 3 cases shoes, 10 cases rubber goods, 2 cases hair oil, 1 box acetic acid, 100 casks soda sulphate, 5 cases insect powder, 98 cases glass mirrors, 83 cases enamelware, 104 bales cotton drill, 30 cases 104 bales cotton shirting, 20 cases camphor oil, 16 cases cycle accessories, 242 cases glass bottles, 1,116 packages timber, 7 cases umbrellas, 5 cases spun silk, 10 cases Tansan water, 21 cases yellow metal plate, 40 cases copper wire, 26 cases clocks, 1 case medicine, 3 cases woollen blankets, 2 cases cotton thread, 4 cases lubricating oil, 2 cases walking stick, 50 bags sugar candy, 3 cases menthol cone, 53 casks sulphate of iron, 1 case mineral water, 9 bales canvas, 500 cases beer, 50 cases 1,030 rolls earthenware, 365 coils rope, 5 cases paper, 13 cases glass beads, 24 cases silk goods, 75 cases glass bangles, 48 cases 225 rolls matting, 8 cases umbrella stick, 6 cases gas mantles, 50 bags sago flour, 100 cases preserves, 38 bundles tarpaulins, 477 bags betel nuts, 11 bags cubebs, 35 cases 22 bundles gum benjamin, 499 robbins poonac, 4 cases cigar, 7 cases mace, 663 bundles rattan, 531 cases tea, 1,800 cases pines, 1 drum citronella oil.

BOMBAY CHURCHES.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

(Sunday after Ascension, 4th June.)

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

The Cathedral St. Thomas the Apostle, Church Gate Street—Clergy: The Venerable C. M. Barnam Archdeacon.—7 a.m. Holy Communion; 7-45 a.m., Matins; 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral)—Merbecke, Hymns, 150, 304, 316, 220; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon Canticles—Chants; Hymns 147, 299, 301; Collections for Cathedral Schools. Daily Matins at 7-15 a.m., and Evensong at 4-15 p.m., Daily Holy Communion at 7-45 a.m. On Wednesdays Evensong at 6-30 p.m., and War Litany at 7 p.m.

Afghan Memorial Church, Colaba—Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Wormald; 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Parade Service 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service.

All Saints' Church Malabar Hill 8 a.m. Matins 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong

St. Mary the Blessed Virgin, Parel—Chaplain Rev. J. B. Glass 8 a.m., Morning Prayer 8-30 a.m.; Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon, Preacher; Rev. J. B. Glass.

Emmanuel Church, Girgaum.—Clergy (English), Rev. H. T. Vodden, M.A.—(Incumbent), Rev. C. W. Thorns, M.A., and Rev. J. H. Robinson, M.A. (Marathi)—Rev. Canon D. L. Joshi and Rev. D. A. Yardi, B.A., (Gujarati)—Rev. L. Hari; Engglish Services—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon; Collections for Church Expenses and Poor. Marathi Service 9 a.m., Gujarathi Service, 2-30 p.m.

St. Paul's Kamatipura (S. P. G.) Foras Road Clergy: Rev. A. J. P. French M.A., (Hindustani). Rev. J. Martin (Tamil) 7-30 a.m., Matins Litany and Holy Communion (Urdu); 10 a.m. Matins Litany and Holy Communion alternately (Tamil) 3 p.m. Evensong (Urdu).

Christ Church Byculla.—Chaplain Rev. W. A. Sawtell; 7-0 a.m., Matins; 7-30 a.m., Holy Communion (Plain); 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral); 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.

St. Nicholas Church, opposite Prince's Dock Chaplain (Vacant) 9-45 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; 7 p.m., Evening Service and Sermon; Week days, 9 p.m. Evening Prayer.

Holy Trinity Church, Hornby Road. Clergy; Rev. A. E. Bradbury, 8 a.m. Matins and Litany; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Cross Umarkhadi (Chapel of Ease to St. Peter.)—Clergy; Rev. Fr. Moore, Rev. H. Lord and Rev. J. Londhe; 6-30 a.m. Holy Communion (English); 7-30 Holy Communion and Sermon (Marathi); 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon (Gujarathi); 6-30 p.m. Evening Service and Sermon (Marathi).

St. Stephen the Martyr, Bandra Hill.—Chaplain: Rev. J. B. Glass, Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 a.m.

The Good Shepherd, Dhharavi (by Sion)—(Chanel of Ease to St. Paul)—Service by the Clergy of St. Paul's, 7-30 a.m., Holy Communion or Matins alternately; 5-30 a.m., Evensong and Sermon. Tamil services conducted by Rev. J. Martyn.

St. Peter's, Mazagon.—6-30 a.m. Holy Eucharist; 7-15 a.m. Matins and Litany; 8-0 a.m., Holy Eucharist with Hymns; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Alms for Organ and Choir.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

St. Andrew's Church (Church of Scotland). Apollo Street, Fort; Senior Chaplain Rev. J. Drummond Gordon, B. D. 9-30 a.m. Joint Service with United Free Church of Scotland; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service.

United Free Church of Scotland. Waudby Road,—Chaplain; Rev. R. M. Gray; 9-30 a.m., United Service in St. Andrew's Church; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service. Preacher: Rev. J. E. Penman, M.A.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Ambroli Presbyterian Church, Girgaum Back Road.—Minister: Rev. M. B. Nikambe English Service 8.30 a.m., Evening Service in Marathi, 5 p.m.

METHODIST.

Taylor Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Clare Road, Byculla, Pastor Rev. W. E. Bancroft. 8-30 a.m., Sunday School; 9-15 a.m., Morning Service; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service; 8-45 p.m. Men's Social Hour in Union Hall.

Bowen Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church Lansdowne Road, Apollo Bunder.—Pastor Rev. H. Ingham; 9-45 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., Morning Service; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service. A Cordial welcome to all.

WESLEYAN.

Wesleyan Church, Colaba Causeway.—9 a.m., Morning Service; Preacher; Rev. E. Hart; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service, Pracher: Rev. T. H. Sheriff; 5 p.m., Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.

Wesleyan Church, Victoria Gardens.—10 a.m., Morning Service; Preacher: Rev. T. H. Sheriff; 6.30 Evening Service, Pracher: Rev. Frank Hart; Sunday School at 5 p.m.

Wesleyan Marathi Mission: (Minister Rev. S. Raliator)—8-15 a.m., Byculla; 4-30 p.m. Elphinstone Road, Parel; 6-30 p.m., Elphinstone Road, Parel, (Tamil and Telugu Service).

CONGREGATIONAL.

American Mission Church.—Hume Memorial Church, New Nagpada Road, Byculla.—Pastor Rev. John Malelu.—9 a.m., Sunday School; 10 a.m., Sunday School Teachers Class; 3-45 p.m., Gospel Spreading Society; 5- p.m., Afternoon Service; Prayer Meeting on Friday at 8.30 p.m. Goodwill Hall, Agripada; 9 a.m., Sunday School; 5 p.m., Afternoon Service; Preacher Rev. N. G. Gaikwad.

BAPTIST.

Bombay Baptist Church (opposite Post Office) Middle Colaba. Minister Rev. A. E. Hubbard: 9 a.m., Morning Service, Preacher Captain T. I. Welch; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service. Preacher: Rev. W. J. Mowell; Sunday School and Men's Bible Class from 5 to 6 p.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS.

Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Apollo Bunder (Opposite Watson's Annexe).—Services—Sunday 6-30 p.m., Preaching; Saturday 6-30 p.m., 5-15 Sabbath School, Wednesday 6-30 p.m., Bible Study and Prayer Meeting. Pastors; G. W Petit and W. R. French in charge.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

R. C. Cathedral, Kalbadevi, Vicar Rev. Dr. B. De Monte 7 and 8-30 a.m. Masses; 5-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Holy Name, Wodehouse Road.—Clergy: The Jesuit Fathers' Masses, 6 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., Evening Service 6 30 p.m.

St. Anne's Byculla.—Clergy: The Jesuit Fathers; Vicar: Rev. Father Hutemacher, S. J. Masses, 6-30 a.m., 7-30 a.m. and 8.30 a.m. Evening Service 6-30 p.m.

Carol Church, (Our Lady of Health.)—Vicar Rev. M. D'sa. Mass 7 and 8-30 a.m.

Mount Mary's Chapel, Bandra Hill, Bandra —9-30 a.m. Mass.

Church of St. Francis Xavier. Dabul (Burrow's Lane) Girgaum Road.—Vicar; Rev. Fr. J. N. Coutinho, 5-20, 6-20, 7-30, 8-30 and 10-30 a.m. Masses; 6 p.m. Benediction.

St. Teresa's Chapel, Grigaum Tram Terminus.—Chaplain Rev. D. Remedious.—6-30 a.m. 5-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Our Lady of Colours, New Sonapur.—6 and 8 a.m. Mass with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Joseph's, Colaba.—8 a.m. Mass and Sermon; 6-30 p.m., Service and Benediction.

St. Joseph's, Umarkhadi.—7 and 8-30 a.m., Masses; 5-30 p.m., Benediction.

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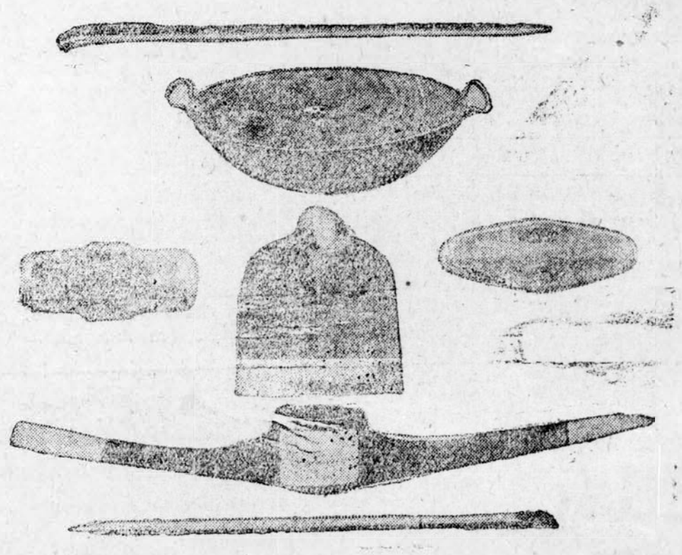

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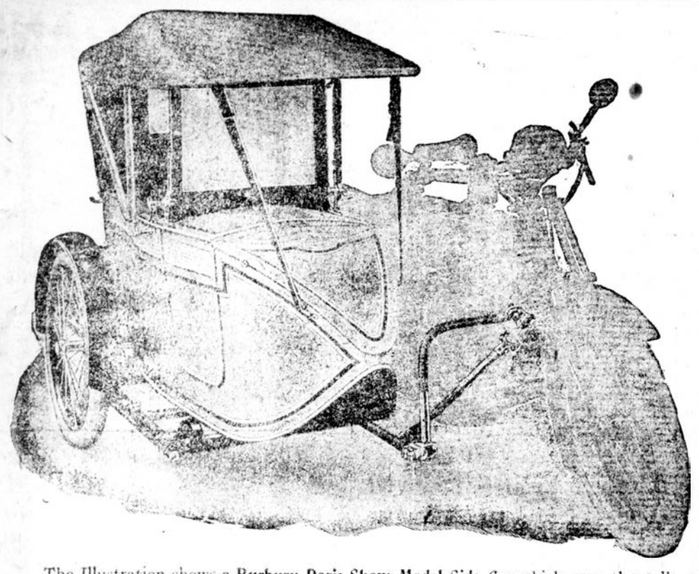

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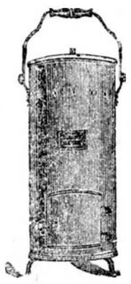

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COMMERCIAL.

INDIAN COTTON MILLS.

OUTPUT IN MARCH.

The total quantity of yarn spun during March 1916, in Indian cotton mills amounted to 57 million lbs. and that of woven goods to 25 million lbs, as compared with 56 million and 24 million lbs, respectively, in the corresponding month of the preceding year, or an increase of about 2 per cent in the case of yarn, and of about 5 per cent. in the case of woven goods.

In the seven months September 1915 to March 1916, the quantity of yarn spun amounted to 414 million lbs. and that of woven goods to 224 million lbs, as against 316 million lbs. and 161 million respectively, in the corresponding months of the preceding year.

In the twelve months April 1915 to March 1916, the quantities were 722 million lbs, of yarn and 352 million lbs, of woven goods.

The quantity of coarse, medium, and fine yarns produced in Indian mills is compared below with the quantity imported by sea from foreign countries during March and the twelve months, April to March, 1914-15 and 1915-16. The production of coarse yarn (Nos. 1 to 25) in the month of March was 51 million lbs, and the imports of the same counts were 99,000 lbs, only; the production of medium counts (Nos. 26 to 40) was 5.7 million lbs, and of fine counts (above No. 40) 288,000 lbs, as against 1.7 million lbs, and 645,000 lbs, respectively, of imported yarn of the same counts.

The excise duty of 3½ per cent. ad valorem realised on woven goods in March 1916 amounted to Rs. 11.66,000 and in the twelve months, April 1915 to March 1916, to Rs. 51,12,000 as compared with Rs. 9,80,000 and Rs. 51,74,000 respectively, in the corresponding periods of 1914-15. The value of goods woven in Indian mills is thus estimated at Rs. 3,33,18,000 in March 1916 and at Rs. 14,61,00,000 in the twelve months, April 1915 to March 1916. The value of cotton goods imported from foreign countries in March 1916 was Rs. 3,78,95,000 and that in the twelve months, April 1915 to March 1916, Rs. 39,59,85,000.

THE WHEAT POSITION.

The returns issued by the Department of statitics, India, show that the total imports of wheat by rail, river, and sea (foreign and coastwise) into the ports of Bombay, Karachi, and Calcutta for the week ending the 20th May 1916, were 9,858 tons as against 65,355 tons and 43,715 tons for the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. For the same period the total exports by sea to foreign countries amounted to 718 tons as against 65,254 tons and 22,782 tons in the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. These weekly figures of exports represent wheat entered for shipment, excluding in certain cases only the short shipments reported during the period.

THE JUTE POSITION.

The total arrivals of raw jute into Calcutta by all routes during the week ending the 20th May 1916, were 23,004 bales of 400 lbs. each as against 61,202 bales in 1915 and 43,967 bales in 1914. For the same period the total exports of raw jute by sea to foreign countries from Calcutta and Chittagong amounted to 3,208 bales of 400 lbs. each as against 32,598 bales and 43,093 bales in the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. The imports of raw jute into Calcutta from the beginning of the present season (1st July) are 8 per cent. more than in the corresponding period of 1914-15 but 6 per cent. less than in 1913-14. The exports of raw jute from the beginning of the present season (1st July) are 7 per cent. more than in 1914-15 but 37 per cent. less than in 1913-14. The exports of gunny bags from Calcutta during the week ending the 20th May 1916 were 12.53 millions as against 12.54 millions last year and 9 millions in 1914, thus showing a decrease of .06 per cent. as compared with the figures of the corresponding period of 1915 but an increase of 31 per cent. over the figures of 1914. These percentage increases do not indicate the real increase in the quantity of bags manufactured and exported because bags of different dimensions and weight are included in the number. The number of gunny bags entered for shipment from January to date amounted to 325 millions in 1916, as against 212 millions in 1915 and 157 millions in 1914. The exports of gunny cloth from Calcutta during the week of report were 21 million yards as against 47 million yards in the same period last year and 30 million yards in 1914, thus showing a decrease of 56 and 31 per cent. as compared with the figures of the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. The total exports of gunny cloth entered for shipment from January to date were 425 million yards, as against 440 million yards in the same period last year, and 406 million yards in 1914.

THE COTTON POSITION.

The arrivals of raw cotton into Bombay during the week ending the 20th May 1916, were 53,065 bales of 400 lbs. each as against 56,375 bales and 80,494 bales in the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. The arrivals from the beginning of the present season (1st September) were 2,730,144 bales, an increase of 20 per cent. over the figures of the corresponding period of 1914-15, but a decrease of 15 per cent. as compared with 1913-14.

The total imports during the week ending the 20th May 1916, of cotton piecegoods by sea from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, Madras, and Rangoon amounted to 39 million yards as against 53 million yards and 46 million yards in the corresponding period of 1915 and 1914 respectively. The total quantity of piecegoods (Indian and foreign) despatched during the same period by rail from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and Madras amounted to 3,201 tons. as against 4,036 tons. in 1915 and 3,855 tons. in 1914.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, June 1st.

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	10,000
" " Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	1,000
" " Sales of East Indian	200
" " Imports	13,000
Mid. Americans	8.47—9
Egyptian F. G. F.	11.53—10
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.) 10-30 a.m.	July 12.60—6 / Oct. 12.83—3
New Orleans 9-30 a.m.	July 12.58—8 / Oct. 12.65—5

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

LIVERPOOL, June 2.

Total Imports 1,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's price.
June	8.13
June-July	8.08
July-Aug.	8.04
Aug.-Sept.	7.97
Sept.-Oct.	7.86
Oct.-Nov.	7.78
Nov.-Dec.	7.72
Dec.-Jan.	7.69
Jan.-Feb.	7.67
Feb.-Mar.	7.66
Mar.-Apl.	7.65
Apl.-May	7.64
May-June.	7.62

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, June 1st.

Months.	To-day's closing price.
June	8.19—9
June-July	8.14—3
July-Aug.	8.10—4
Aug.-Sept.	8.03—5
Sept.-Oct.	7.92—3
Oct.-Nov.	7.84—3
Nov.-Dec.	7.78—3
Dec.-Jan.	7.75—3
Jan.-Feb.	7.72—4
Feb.-March	7.71—4
March-April	7.70—4
April-May	7.69—4
May-June	7.67—5

CLOSING EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES.

Liverpool, June 1st.

Months.	To-day's price.
July	11.36—2
November	11.12—2
January	10.98—2

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, June 1st.

M. G. Bengal Good	6.20
" " Fully Good	6.35
" " Fine	6.50
" No. 1 Oomra Good	6.55
" " Fine	6.85
" Broach Good	8.05
" " Fully Good	8.20
" " Fine	8.35
" Scinde Good	6.15
" " Fully Good	6.30
" " Fine	6.45

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, June 1st.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	13,000
" Exports to Great Britain	1,000
" " to Continent	19,000
Futures at New York July	12.58—8
Futures at New York October	12.60—12
Spot Cotton at New York	12.70—10
Spot Cotton at New Orleans	12.65unchgd.
Tone of Spot Cotton:—Dull.	
Futures at New Orleans July	12.45—11
Futures at New Orleans October	12.53—10
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9½ unchgd.
Demand Bills	4.75.5 unchgd.
Silver Commercial Bars	68½ unchgd.

COTTON CROP.

New York, June 1st.

The United States Department of Agriculture in its Report on the Cotton Crop States, that the average Condition of the Crop is 77.5 per cent.

MONEY MARKET.

London, June 1st.

Bar Silver Spot	32⅝ unchgd.
Closing Tone of Silver:—Quiet.	
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 per cent. since 8th August 1914.	
Amount Withdrawn from the Bank of England about	£316,000
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	4 9/16
Discount India Bank Bills 6 m/st	4½
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	5
" " " 6 "	5½
Interest day to day loans	3½
" 7 day market loans	4
Bills on Madras Rs. 2,62,000 at 1/4 1/8.	
Consols 2½ o/o	58+¼
Rupee Paper 3½ o/o	53—¼
Indian Stock 3½ o/o Sterling Loan	80⅜
Government Securities 3 o/o	69¼ Unchgd.
Ex. On London at Paris Francs 28.19 Unchgd.	

WAR LOANS.

London, June 1st.

3½ o/o 1925—1928	88¼+¼
4½ o/o 1925—1945	95¾+¼

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Thursday, June 1st.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—

	£		£
Total Bullion	60,200,000	Inc.	200,000
Public Deposits	53,500,000	Dec.	800,00
Other do.	82,900,000	Ins.	1,500,000
Govt. Securities	38,200,000	..	5,000,000
Other do.	72,700,000	Dec.	3,700,000
Notes and Gold	43,300,000	..	400,000

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MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, June 1st.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi per 492 lbs. C.I.F. May June Sellers 64

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe 61½ lbs. June Sellers. 58

AUSTRALIAN.

South Australian April Sellers 65
Victorian April Sellers 67

BARLEY.

Karachi Barley June Sellers. 51/6

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship June-July Sellers 68/4
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship May-June, London sellers 74
Toria Rapeseed June-July Sellers 64/6

LINSEED.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata) May-June Nominal 71
Linseed Calcutta, June-July, buyers. 71

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£146
Standard Copper G.M.B. Nominal	£121
Copper Braziers	£167
Yellow Metal	17½
Hard Spelter	73
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14 × 20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool	18/9
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Pig Iron No. 1, Gartsherrie	£6-11-6

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Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal.—Nominal.

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure June-July Buyers. 2/8
Plantation First Latex Crepe July 2/8

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Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta, Aug.-Oct., resellers. 25/6

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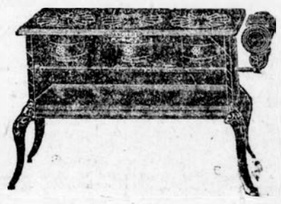

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COMMERCIAL.

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Raw Java, C. & F. Bombay and Karachi, Aug.-Oct., resellers. 21/7½
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta, Aug.-Oct., resellers. 23/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay and Karachi, Aug.-Oct., resellers. 23/7½
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BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(From our Commercial Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, June 2.

The market this morning was easy, with New Broach quoted at Rs. 279, but prices subsequently advanced Rs. 2/3 on bazaar buying.

No business of any importance was reported in contracts and ready cotton is in poor demand.

The Bureau Report on the condition of the American crop is 77.50 per cent., which is rather less than was expected.

We quote:—
Fine Akola July 250.
Fully Good Bengal, January 219.
Good Broach, April 282.

Messrs. PATEL BROS. MID-DAY QUOTATIONS.

Growth.	Fine.	F.G.	Good.	Delivery.
M. G. Broach				281 Apr. 1917.
M. G. Bengals		218	..	.. Jan. "
M. G. Bengals		224	..	.. July 1916.
M. G. Sind Punjab		217	..	.. "
M. G. Khandesh		230	227	.. "
M.G.Wardha Hinganghat.		267	..	.. "
M. G. Nagpore		267	..	.. "
M. G. Akola Khamgaon ..		257	..	.. Jan. 1917.
M. G. Akola Khamgaon ..		252	..	.. Sept. 1916.
M. G. Akola Khamgaon ..		251	..	.. July "
M. G. Broach		279	..	.. July "
H. G. Westerns				306 J/July '16.
M. G. Westerns				310 "
M. G. Goundis				331 "
Saw Ginned Dharwar				305 "
M. G. Bengals				.. ..

TOTAL RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS YEAR DURING THE SAME PERIOD.

Growths.	1915-16.	1914-15.	Difference.
Khandesh ..	353,581	236,390 +	117,191
Central India ..	213,211	157,091 +	56,120
Barsi & Nagar ..	243,103	154,154 +	88,949
Berar ..	667,952	413,741 +	210,211
Central Provinces ..	175,099	210,532 —	34,566
Compta & Dharwar ..	120,080		
Northern-Westerns ..	80,767	223,577 +	15,803
Coconada ..	22,813		
Tinnevelly and Cumbodia ..	15,711	167,811 —	71,360
Dhollera ..	96,442	236,452 —	24,456
Broach ..	260,908		
Rajputana ..	75,282	524,167 +	39,871
N. W.-Prov. ..	308,787		
Sind-Punjab ..	189,560		
Persian ..	481	708 —	227
American ..	.....	195 —	195
Egyptian ..	691	610 +	81
Other Sorts ..	2,315	1,196 +	1,117
Total ..	2,818,366	2,331,924 +	486,442

THE BOMBAY COTTON EXCHANGE Co., Ltd.

Market Quotation for Ready and Forward Delivery Contracts as fixed by the Rate Committee of the Exchange.

COLABA, 2nd June, 1916, 5-30 p.m.

Growths.	Super-fine.	Fine.	Fully Good.	Good.	Delivery.
Bengals (M.G.)	..	..	219	..	.. 25 Jan. 1917
	231	222	210	..	.. Ready
Bengals (M.G.)	..	225	..	..	.. July
Sciude-Punjab (M.G.)	..	215	205	..	.. Ready
	..	..	..	..	..
Khandesh (M.G.)	..	240	227	..	.. Ready & July
	..	..	..	..	..
Jalna (M.G.)	..	..	243	..	.. Ready
Barsee (M.G.)	..	..	273	..	.. Ready
	..	..	..	310	Ready
Miraj (M.G.)	..	..	..	326	Ready & July
Indore Ujjain(M.G.)	..	..	..	..	
	..	..	..	..	
Oomra M. G. (Fair Staple)	..	250	242	..	.. June/July
Akola Kghm.	..	252	..	..	.. Sept.
Karanja (M.G.)	..	247	..	..	.. June/July
	..	..	..	..	..
Oomrawatee Descriptions (M.G.)	..	251	243	..	.. Ready & July
	..	..	..	..	..
Dhamangaum Poolgaum (M.G.)	..	254	246	..	.. Ready & July
Yeotmal (M.G.)	..	256	248	..	.. Ready & July
	..	..	..	..	..
Nagpore	..	262	254	..	.. Ready & July
Kampti (M.G.)	..	..	..	..	..
Wardha H'ghat (M.G.)	..	263	255	..	.. Ready & July
	..	..	..	..	..
	..	277	272	..	.. Ready & July
Broach (M.G.)	..	..	..	281	25 April 1917
	..	..	..	..	..
Wadhwan (M.G.)	..	290	..	..	.. Ready
Do. (H.G.)	..	280	..	..	.. Ready
Surat (M.G.)	..	..	..	..	
	..	..	..	..	
Mathia (M.G.)	..	240	226	..	.. Ready
	..	..	..	..	..
Bhagalkote Bijapur (M.G.)	..	..	..	311	Ready
	..	..	..	302	June/July
Sawgd. Dharwar	..	..	..	306	Ready
	..	..	..	292	June/July
	..	..	..	313	Ready
Westerns (M.G.)	..	..	..	302	June/July
" (H.G.)	..	..	..	306	Ready
	..	..	..	296	June/July
ompta (M.G.)	..	..	..	333	Ready
	..	..	..	32[illegible]	June/July

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

The following are the receipts of Cotton, Wheat, and Seeds, by rail and sea into Bombay during the 24 hours up till 6 p.m. on 1st June 1916:—

Cotton	6,562 Bales.
Wheat	5,724 cwts.
Linseed	11,992 "
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed	19 "
Ginjellyseed	304 "
Groundnuts	572 "
Castorseed	239 "
Rice	767 "
Gram	176 "
Barley	2,951 "

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

Bombay, June 2nd—4 p.m.

	Bazaar Terms.	Rail Delivery.
Ready	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Wheat, White Delhi 60-62	56 0 0	5 14 6
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-80 ..	55 0 0	5 14 3
Wheat, Karachi Bandra	34 0 0	5 14 0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	5 15 0	6 5 0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore ..	5 12 0	6 2 0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore ..	6 13 0	7 3 0
Linseed, Brown Bold	7 8 6	7 11 6
Linseed, Brown Thin	7 4 6	7 10 6
Teelseed, White 85-15	43 8 0	....
" Gajar 75-25	42 8 0	....
" Gajar 50-50	41 8 0	....
" Black	36 8 0	....
Poppyseed, White	6 9 0	6 15 0
Groundnuts	3 14 0	....
Mowraseed	3 14 0	4 4 0
Forward	Rs. a. p.	
Wheat Aug.-Sept.	5 14 6	
LsdSe ineept.	8 7 3	

Castorseed.
Ready ..... Rs. 7-2, R.D. per cwt
Cottonseed.
Rs. 24, B.T. per candy.

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

BOMBAY, June 2.

We have to report again a quiet market during the week with small demand and easier advices from Java and prices both for ready and forward have been reduced 4 to 8 annas per cwt. all round. Bombay Bazaar is now-a-days guided by reports from Karachi and prices for forward business are based on same. There is absolutely no business doing by firms but small parcels changing hands amongst local dealers in White Java T. M. O. June at 23s. to 22s. 6d. and July-September at 22s. 10d. to 22s. 4d., Free Bombay Harbour. Java market is rather easier with a decline of 8d. per cwt. and the price quoted for August-September is 23s. 9d. F. B. H. London market is steady with no business. A hurricane has been reported at Mauritius and damage to the crop is said to be 15 to 20 per cent. although full reports are not at hand.

The following are the bazaar rates and stocks:—

	F. B. H. Rs. a. p.	s. d.	Stocks. Bags.
China X'tals	21 0 0	25 0	2,500
Formosan A.	19 6 0	22 8	4,000
Japan Soft.	No Stocks.		
Java Soft	18 0 0	21 3	9,000
T. M. O.	19 0 0	22 8	35,000
Brown Java	18 6 0	21 0	1,500
Meuritius	19 0 0 to Rs. 20 0		85,000

EXCHANGE.

Banks' Selling Rates:—
T. T Ready ..... 1s. 4 1-16d. to 1s. 4 1-32d.
D. D. Mail ..... 1s. 4 3.32d. to 1s. 4 1-16d.
T. T. Forward ..... 1s. 4 1-16d. July
Banks' Buying Rates:—
Credits 3 Months' Sight Ready 1s. 4 3/8d.
Do. do. Forward ..... 1s. 4 13-32d. Aug.
Do. 6 m.s Ready ..... 1s. 4 5/8d.
Frances 3 m.s do. 195
60 d.s Hongkong 155½
Do. Shanghai 218½
Do. Yokohama 154½

BULLION.

	Rs.
English Bar Gold	26-14-0
Australian do.	25-14-0
Bombay do.	25-4-0
English Shield Sovereigns	16-8-0
English Dragons	15-14-0
Silver ex-duty Ready	78-2-0
Do. 1st settlement	78-7-0

SHARE MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, June 2.

The Cotton Mill Share Market opened firm to-day but the rates tailed off before close. Tata Iron and Steel Deferred shares were steady in the morning but before close they showed an easy tendency.

In Mill shares for July delivery Davids closed at Rs. 473.

Fazulbhai were placed at the prices varying from Rs. 492½ to Rs. 501, Standards from Rs. 1,225 to Rs. 1,237½, Madhavji from Rs. 1,440 to Rs. 1,475 and Indore Maiwas from Rs. 282½ to Rs. 290.

Indian Bleachings kept firm at Rs. 162½. Crescent improved to Rs. 122½ for cash.

Centrals were quiet at Rs. 2,150 and Swadeshi at Rs. 1,675.

Bank of India shares changed hands at Rs. 70.

Sialkot Narowal shares were placed at Rs. 119, Mandra Bhons at Rs. 85½, Tapti Valleys at Rs. 572½ and Central Provinces at Rs. 118.

Tata Hydro Electric Ordinary shares improved to Rs. 1,350 but closed at Rs. 1,340.

Bombay Electric Tramway Ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 260.

Bombay Burma Trading Corporation shares improved to Rs. 940 for July delivery.

Tata Iron and Steel Ordinary shares were placed from Rs. 175 to Rs. 178¾ for July delivery. Deferred opened at Rs. 697½, improved to Rs. 705, again declined and touched Rs. 680 but closed at Rs. 685.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

Business in 3½ per cent G. P. Notes was done in the vicinity of Rs. 80¾.

4 per cent Port Trust Bonds were placed at Rs. 97.

3½ per cent Terminable Loan was nominally quoted at Rs. 97.

PETROLEUM.

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The following are the rates ruling in the local market to-day for the undermentioned brands:—

	Rs. a. p
Rising Sun Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Imperial Gallons	4 14 0
Rising Sun Brand New Tins per pair ..	5 8 0
Bull Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Imperial Gallons	4 9 6
Bull Brand New Tins .. .. per pair ..	5 2 6
Swan Brand Bulk Loose per 8 Imperial Gallons	3 4 6
Swan Brand New Tins .. .. per pair ..	3 13 6
Anchor Tins .. .. .. per pair ..	5 11 0
Rising Sun Cases .. .. .. per case ..	6 4 0
Anchor Cases .. .. .. per case ..	6 6 0
Shell Cases .. .. .. per case ..	7 0 0

CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN FOR IMPORTED GOODS.

A press communique issued by the Government of India states:—

In connection with the abolition of the requirement of certificates of origin for goods imported into India from Italy, traders are reminded that the obligation remains upon them to satisfy themselves that no goods which have left enemy territory since the outbreak of war are imported into India on their account.

YARN.

There is no material change in the market. In yarn spinners quote such high rates that it is impossible to any business in face of the low selling prices on this side. Firms who hold stocks sell at a low margin of profit and replace same at a high price with a view to keep their tickets in the market. There is good demand for coloured yarns, but spineers in absence of colours are not inclined to quote. Business is done by the Japs in warps at rates far lower than those quoted by Manchester. Demand all round is very poor but prices are maintained.

GREY GOODS.

Business in low count red end shirtings for july delivery is reported from Manchester. Stocks here are meagre, but dealers cannot afford to pay the high prices ruling in Manchester. The stock of G. P. Drills has increased and prices are at a standstill. Firms who hold stock are not inclined to sacrifice same in face of the home quotation of 16. In dhooties dealers are offering 6d. over last purchases, but prices are so high that no business can result at present, firms who hold stocks are not able to realise their cost value so are holding same for a better opportunity. In lustres recent arrivals have lowered prices, but Manchester prices in the absence of colours are daily rising.

WHITE GOODS.

As the season is closing dealers, even at a reduction over previous prices, sell off their holdings and prices rule in favour of buyers. Sales of low class nainsooks are reported at prices 2d. under replacing values. Dealers are enquiring after gold heading, and tape border nainsooks for next season, but prices quoted by Manchester are so high, that no business can be booked. There is a good enquiry for medium quality white shirtings, but high prices preclude any chance of business. Depmanns 1,500 are quoted 16/4/2. White dhooties are inquired after and purchases in the bazar are brisk.

METAL.

The fluctuations in prices in America reported by Reuter's have forced the dealers to lower their rates in absence of buyers. Stocks are not decreasing and until the stock held by Marwarries and other speculators is consumed there is no prospect of a rise in prices. In yellow metal prices are maintained and as stock is decreasing, dealers are not inclined to part with their holdings at a low rate.

RICE.

Freights have further advanced by Rs. 5, which make forward business quite impossible. Rangoon big mills are quoted at 281/8, but speculators are in the market at Rs. 275. No business is reported at present and the market in Rangoon will decline if the demand drops.

TIMBER.

Except scantlings which are in demand business in beams is impracticable. Rangoon merchants are not inclined to take any more risks in freight and so they decline to make any forward sales Business from Chanda is reported. Demand locally is very poor.

DUTY ON PERFUMED SPIRITS.

A Customs Circular says:—

In the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, 1916, perfumed spirits are shown as a seperate class on which the rate of duty is fixed at Rs. 18-12 per Imperial gallon. Perfumed spirits will continue to be defined as indicated in the letters of the Government of India No. 2466-2470-24, dated the 29th March 1910, and No. 2766-2769-33, dated the 16th April, 1914, instructions in the terms of which have been issued to Collectors of Customs. The Government of India have, however, decided to allow perfumed spirits, if underproof, to be assessed on their actual strength. This ruling supersedes that given in the Government of India letter No. 2766-2769-33, dated the 16th April, 1914, in so far as the concession of payment of duty on actual strength was thereby restricted to perfumed spirits containing 5 per cent of proof spirit or less, but it does not otherwise operate to modify the instructions issued in the letters above quoted. The duty on perfumed spirits assessed on actual strength is therefore subject to a minimum of 7½ per cent *ad valorem*.

The rate of duty on spirit contained in drugs, medicines or chemicals is that levied on mixtures and other preparations containing spirits under item 35 of the Import Tariff Schedule II, appended to the Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act. The Collectors of Customs have been instructed in these terms.

MESSRS. SAMUEL MONTAGU AND CO.'S WEEKLY REPORT.

Messrs. Samuel Montagu &. Co., writing on May 4th say:—

GOLD.

For the first time for six weeks the external movements have been unfavourable to the Bank of England.

The following amounts were received by the Bank:—
April 28, £6,000 in bar gold.
May 1, £7,000 in bar gold.
May 3, £65,000 in bar gold.
May 3, £250,000 in sovereigns released on miscellaneous account.

Withdrawals were made as under:—
April 27, £140,000 in sovereigns for Spain.
April 27, £350,000 in sovereigns set aside on miscellaneous account.
April 39, £201,000 in bar gold.
May 1, £7,000 in bar gold.
May 1, £30,000 in sovereigns for the U.S.A.
May 3, £10,000 in sovereigns for India.

During the week the net efflux amounted to £210,000.

The West African output for March, 1916, amounted to £150,987, as compared with £153,770 in March, 1915, and £137,739 in February, 1916.

SILVER.

In the six working days from April 27th, to May 3rd, the price rose no less than 5 1/16d. The rise was continued each day with the exception of May 1, when the price shed 1/8d., gained on the previous day. Thrice during these six days the quotation advanced 1 1/8d. in its stride. It is noteworthy that since March 7th., when the quotation was 27d., the price has only fallen back six times and never more than 3/16d. on any occasion.

Not only the position of the Market at the present time, considered as a whole, but also its strength is unique. The quotation fell quite as heavily when silver was demonetized upon a large scale, but no advance in the price has ever been so sustained. Now, an exactly reverse operation is taking place: silver is being monetized upon a large scale. There have been greater movements in one day. Silver was 34d. on the 28th June, 1893, and 31 1/4d. the next day. It was 30 1/2d. on Saturday, June 30th, 1893, and rose to 33 1/2d., on the Monday following, July 2nd.

The exceedingly important relation that silver can occupy with regard to money needs to be born in mind in order to gauge the situation. Silver as a luxurious adjunct of civilization can be gone without. Plate can be melted into bullion, so as to take advantage of the high level of prices attained, but an excess or deficiency of currency is an urgent state of affairs which calls for drastic action. Such action has been at work of late, and apparently will continue, on behalf of several Governments.

It will be observed from the figures given in the usual table at the end of this circular that the total of silver Rupees held against the Indian note issues has fallen a further 51 lacs. The fall has been practically continuous from 4007 lacs on August 15, 1915, to 1950 lacs on April 30, 1916. A stock of 600 lacs used to be held in the Gold Standard Reserve, ready for an emergency, but the amount was exchanged some time ago for gold.

The remarkable advance in the price makes a reference to the intrinsic value of silver coins a matter of interest, for, if the intrinsic exceeds the nominal value, there is always a strong possibility of coins being melted into bullion, and the refined contents being placed upon the Market.

Mexican silver dollars is already worth more dead than alive. Legally it is supposed to circulate as half a gold dollar, say 24 1/2. Its intrinsic value yesterday as unrefined bullion was 27. Had not Mexico been already denuded of silver dollars owing to internal strife, the Government would have found it difficult to retain these silver dollars as currency.

Should the price of silver exceed 45d., it would begin to be worth while to ship to Europe and there refine the Rupee, and at 46d., the Straits dollar. The stock of the former coin is given in the United States' Mint report of 1912 as 2,750,000,000 Rupees, nominally worth over £183,000,000. The amount of Straits dollars affected is about 12,500,000. In March, 1907, the weight of this dollar was reduced from 416 to 312 grains, owing to the rise in the price of silver.

An advance in the price of silver to 45d., would create a serious problem for the Imperial authorities. Considering the size of the stock of Rupees it would be impossible to recall and remint the metal quickly into a coin with less silver contents.

The last three Indian Currency Returns received by cable give details in lacs af Rupees as follow:—

	Apl. 15	Apl. 22	Apl. 30
Notes in Circulation ...	6532	6493	6494
Reserve in silver coin ...	2078	2001	1950
Gold coin and bullion ...	1225	1225	1224
Gold in England	1192	1192	1192

The stock in Bombay consists of 4,200 bars, as compared with 2,900 bars last week.

No shipment was made from San Francisco to Hong Kong last week.

Particulars regarding the prices of silver during the past month are set out below:—
Highest price for cash ..... 35 1/8d.
Lowest price for cash ..... 29d.
Average price for cash 30.6619
Quotations for bar silver per oz. std:—
April 28, 34 1/8 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
April 29, 35 1/8 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
May 1, 35 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
May 2, 36 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
May 3, 37 1/8 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
May 4, 36 15/16 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.
Bank Rate ..... 5 per cent.
Bar Gold per oz. std. ..... 77/9.
French gold coin per oz. .....Nominal.
U. S. A. gold coin per oz. .....Nominal.
Average for the week 25,718.

The quotation to-day for cash is 3 15/16d. above that fixed a week ago.

THEFTS AT MATUNGA.

REPRESENTATION TO COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

Mr. Jivraj, Goculdas Nensey, Joint Honorary Secretary of the Matunga Residents' Association has addressed the following letter to the Commissioner of Police, Bombay on some recent cases of theft at Matunga:—

Sir,—I am directed by my Managing Committee to draw your attention to the following:—

A few days ago a theft took place in a bungalow at Matunga in broad day light between 12 and 2 p.m., after removing a number of bars. It has been brought to the notice of my Committee that the large number of workmen of the Carriage and Waggon Shops at Matunga come out of the shops for their afternoon meals and after buying their eatables from the shops, enter private compounds and eat in the shelter of trees or buildings Complaints against it have been made to the Railway Company and the police but there is no appreciable improvement. Most of these people are honest and giving them such shelter is charity as the eating houses are insufficient to accommodate them all nor is there sufficient space provided by the Railway Company, nor proper arrangements for obtaining eatables made there. My Committee is led to suspect that such thefts are the outcome of some of the dishonest people taking undue advantage of the use of the compounds of the bungalows as stated above. They cannot be easily kept out as they are in large numbers, and only a policeman or two to look after them. The result is that a high word with them is likely to end in a breach of the peace. We have had occasion to write to the police in the matter before but to no effect. May we now request you to give your personal attention to the matter and to see for yourself on any afternoon when the workshops are working fully, what trouble and nuisance these people are to the peaceful residents of Matunga and to those using the foot-bridge from Matunga G. I. P. Railway and Matunga (B. B. and C. I. Railway) for passing to and from Mahim etc. Please therefore give us an appointment when you intend coming over to Matunga, so that some of our members may be present to explain the situation to you.

EXCISE PROSECUTION.

A MOGUL CONVICTED.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Third Presidency Magistrate, Chief Excise Inspector Sherfar J. Talyarkhan charged Abdul Nabi Shabanali, a Mogul, with possessing thirty-five tolas of opium without a license. The accused was searched on suspicion in Dhabu Street on Wednesday, when the opium was found concealed under his arm-pit. He was sentenced to a fine of Rs. 50, in default to three weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

Subscriptions received by Lady Robertson up to the end of May for the C. P. War Fund amount to Rs. 62,520, of this Rs. 45,400 have been expended in providing comforts for troops at the front and in hospitals.

Rev. R. R. Kerwan, Chaplain of Lucknow, died at Home. He was invalided from Mesopotamia and was on leave preparatory to retirement.

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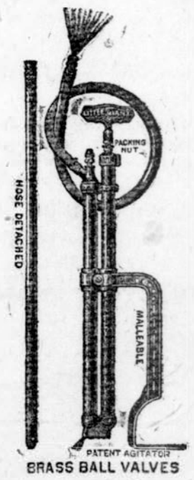

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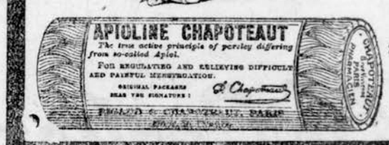
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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

TO-DAY.

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Mahomedan: 1st of Shaban, 1334
Parsi: 26th of Adar, 1285.
Phase of the Moon: First Quarter, 9th June.
Sunrise, 6 h. 1 m.; Sunset, 7 h. 12m.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Birthday of H. M. King George: Public Holiday.

SUNDAY, May 4.

Bombay Gun Club Meeting, Mahim, 9 a.m.
Anjuman-i-Islam Annual General Meeting, Anjuman Hall, Hornby Road, 5 p.m.

MONDAY, June 5.

High Court (Appellate Side), Vacation Sitting, 11 a.m.
St. George's Hospital Nursing Association, Annual General Meeting, Killick's Building, Home St., 6 p.m.
Bombay University, Intermediate Examination Results, 12-30 a.m.

TUESDAY, June 6.

Standing Committee Meeting, 3-30 p.m. (B.T.).
English Mail Steamer Salsette due at 6 a.m.
P. and O. s. s. Salsette with English Mails leaves Bombay. Mails close at G. P. O. at 3 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre, Varieties and Cinema at 6-30 and 9-45 p.m.
Royal Opera House, Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10 p.m.
New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.
Olympia Cinema, Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10.30 p.m.

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Domestic Occurrences.

DEATHS.

KHAMBATA—Cowasji Edulji Khambata, late Agent, Port Canning and Land Imp. Government Co., aged about 90 years. Funeral 8 a.m. to-morrow near Tardeo Tram Terminus.
NANAVATI—Harkisondas Nagardas Nanavati, died yesterday at about 10 a.m. Oothamna Ceremony at 4 p.m. to-day.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron OrdDers by Lieut. R. A. Spence, Offg. Commandant.

June 2.

Riding School.—Riding School daily at 7 a.m. weather permitting.
Signalling Class.—The Signalling Class under Major Wallis (I.A.) will commence from Thursday the 8th June.
Parades as at present arranged will be as follows:—
Mornings, Corps Riding School, Marine Lines.
Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 7 a.m.
Evenings, Thursdays and Fridays at 6-15 p.m.
Palli Hill Contingent. Rendezvous Mr. Annesley's Bungalow:
Sunday 7 a.m. commencing from the 11th June.
Dress.—Mufti. Signalling Equipment will be issued at the first parade.
Enrolment.—The undernamed member having joined is taken on the strength and posted to B Troop:—
Trooper John Gordon Adams.

F. C. ANNESLEY, 2nd Lieut.,
Actg. Adjutant Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Corps orders by Major R. W. R. Pennington, V.D., Commanding.

June 2.

No. 183—DUTIES:—
Duties for the week commencing Monday, 5th instant:—
Orderly Officer for the ensuing week 2nd-Lieut. F. J. Cheminais.
Orderly Officer next for duty 2nd-Lieut. W. N. Cartland.
Orderly Sergt. No. 1 Company, Sergt. A. S. White.
Orderly Sergt. No. 2 Company, Corpl. V. Y. Smith.
No. 184—RECRUITS:—
Several vacancies exist in the Corps for recruits; any wishing to be enrolled, can see the conditions by applying to the Sergeant-Major of the Corps at the Headquarters, Bazaar Gate Street, Fort.
Recruits gun drill parades will probably commence in June.
No. 184—PROMOTIONS:—
Corporal H. T. Engleken, E. E. Company, is promoted Sergeant vice Sergt. Cullen resigned with effect from the 21st April, 1916.
No. 185—APPOINTMENT:—
Sergt. H. T. Engleken, E. E. Company, is appointed C.S.M.I., to the Electrical Engineer Company with effect from 21st April, 1916.

P. H. RETALLACK, Capt.,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps orders by Lieut.-Col. G. K Walker, C.I.E., Commanding Poona Volunteer Rifles.

POONA, June 2.

449. Signallers.—Signallers will parade at Headquarters on Fridays at 5-30 p.m., until further notice.
450. Range.—The Musketry range at Poona will be open for Class firing daily at 7-30 a.m., except Thursdays and Sundays from Monday, June 1916. Members wishing to fire should submit their names to Headquarter office two days beforehand.
451. Clothing.—Field Service caps have now been received and may be obtained from the Stores on payment of Re. 1-4 each.
452. Decrease.—No. 4177 Vol. J. R. Tristram "G" Coy. (Kurduwadi) having left the station is struck off the strength of the Corps from this date.
453. Parades.—All recruits of the current season will parade at Headquarters on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 5.30 p.m., until further notice.

(Sd.) A. R. KEARSEY, 2/Lt.,
Adjutant, Poona Volunteer Rifles.

NOTICE.

The Headquarter office Poona Volunteer Rifles will be closed, except for urgent work, on Saturday the 3rd June, 1916, the Birthday of his Majesty the King-Emperor.

STRING BAND AT THE BOMBAY COMMERCIAL GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Banner, V.D., and Officers, the String Band of the 1st Battalion, G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play a programme of music, this evening under the direction of Mr. Hugh. B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6.15 p.m.

ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. and O. Company's S. S. Salsette with the outward Mails of the 19th ultimo is expected to arrive in Bombay at 6 a.m. on Tuesday next

P. & O. COMPANY'S S. S. NAMUR.

The P. & O. Company's S. S. Namur (Extra) arrived Aden at 6-30 a.m. on Friday the 2nd instant.

HOMEWARD MAIL

The P. & O. Koshmir which left Bombay on the 16th ultimo arrived at Marseilles yesterday. All well.

A. E. S. OLD BOYS' UNION.

A conversational meeting of the above Union will be held in the School building in Girgaum to-morrow at 5 p.m. (S.T.)

ARYA SAMAJ.

A public meeting will be held at the Arya Samaj Hall, Kakadwadi, Girgaon, Bombay, to-morrow at 6 p.m. (B.T.) when Swami Omkar Suchidanandjee will deliver a lecture on "Adwait."

YOUNG MEN'S LITERARY CIRCLE.

Under the auspices of the Young Men's Literary Circle, Mr. C. S. Trilokekar will deliver an inaugural address to-morrow at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), in the late Mr. Shamrao Pandurang's House, Dady Shet Agiary.

THE ISRAELITE BROTHERHOOD.

Under the auspices of the above Institution Miss Rachel Benjamin Verulkar, Lady Superintendent, Eden High School Hostel, Dacca, will deliver a public lecture to-morrow at 6-30 p.m., (S. T.), in the Israelite School Hall, Mazagon, on "The Progress of our Community", when Khan Bahadur Jacob B. Israel, Deputy Collector, Thana, will preside.

A LECTURE.

Under the auspices, of the Pioneer Saraswat Educative Institute founded in commemoration of "Empire Day," a lecture will be delivered by the originator of co-operative philanthrophic movement on "How in War Time, the Helpless can help to contribute 25 lacs in aid of the Indian Warriors' Family Pension Fund" at 5 this evening in the Vanita Vishram Hall opposite Servants of India Society Building Girgaum.

MORTALITY IN BOMBAY.

There were two attacks and two deaths from plague on Thursday, Panaswadi and Bhuleshwar reporting one attack and one death each. There were eight attacks and four deaths from small-pox and one attack of cholera. The total mortality from all causes was 86, against 67 on the corresponding day of last year and 76 of that of 1914. Of the 1,726 rats caught 33 were found to be infected.

A NEW GIRLS' SCHOOL AT SURAT.

(From a Correspondent.)

The citizens of Surat may be congratulated on the success that has crowned their efforts in starting a school for girls and women maintained and managed entirely by the public. It is intended that the school should provide well-paid teachers and the courses of instruction will be so arranged that the girls, who cannot expect to continue their studies after the age of 15, will receive good instruction in Sanskrit, sewing, music, embrodiery, sanitation, English and moral education over and above the education in the three R's. This naturally means that the curricula adopted by the Government and Municipal Schools will be materially modified and improved upon. The institution will be called "Mahila Vaidyalaya" and will commence work on the 5th instant. The financial response is stated to be satisfactory and under the guidance of an experienced energetic educationist like Mr. Chhaganlal Thakordas Mody, the Vidyalaya will be assured of a bright future. It is proposed to organise continuation classes for married women also, as soon as practicable, and a normal class for training women teachers when funds permit.

RAIN IN BOMBAY.

FIRE BRIGADE STATION STRUCK BY LIGHTENING.

The monsoon broke out in earnest early yesterday morning and the low-lying parts of the city were more or less flooded the road between Parel and Chinchpokli being heavily flooded and tram traffic was suspended there for some time. The tower of the Mandvi Fire Brigade station was struck by lightning at 10 a.m. and the coping stones were damaged. The damage was not serious. The fire alarm system, however, was affected at that station due to the electric fusion in the wires attached to the switch board of the fire alarm system.

FOOD RIOTS IN COLOGNE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, June 2.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" cable says:—

The "Central News" Amsterdam correspondent says serious food riots are again reported from Cologne.

ALLEGED BREACH OF TRUST CASE.

MR. DADA FURTHER CROSS-EXAMINED.

COMPLAINANT AND THE MAGISTRATE.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, the Third Presidency Magistrate resumed the hearing of the case in which Haji Ahmed Haji Hassam Dada, a Memon, charged Nanabhoy Cowasji Engineer, lately managing clerk of Mr. Surajmal B. Mehta, solicitor, with criminal breach of trust in respect of two hundis of the value of Rs. 1,200 each.

Mr. J. D. Davar with Mr. Nariman of Messrs. Ardeshir Hormusji and Dinshaw, and Mr. Mangaldas Mehta appeared for the complainant, while Mr. S. G. Velinker with Mr. Rustomji Broacha of Messrs. Jamshedji Rustomji and Devidas, and Mr. P. K. Kotwal defended the accused.

Haji Ahmed Haji Hassam Dada, the complainant, was questioned by Mr. Davar. He was shown the counter-foil of a cheque, in the handwriting of the accused, which referred to the sum of Rs. 300 given to meet Mr. D'Cunha's costs. He was also shown a document for Rs. 3,000 which he said were never repaid to him by the accused or anybody on his behalf. He said he had paid the sum with his own hands to the accused, who never accounted for it to him in any other account. The accused told him he had done some business with the money and that half of it would go to a partner and the other half would be divided between them. Witness produced the two hundis of Nagindas, which, he said, had never been repaid to witness but about which the accused told him that the man had been "finished." After the settlement of his (witness) suit against Mr. Surajmal Mr. Nariman informed witness that the accused had recovered the amount of the hundis. Witness often made payments in cash and by cheques to Mr. Surajmal in order to keep up his account with him.

Questioned by Mr. Velinker, the witness said he took drinks once or twice a month. Questioned if he only took a spoonful, witness said it was not medicine that he would take only a spoonful. He took a peg.

Does it go straight into your head?—I don't take it often, so it has a quick effect on me.

Do you behave like a fool after that?—We don't fall on anybody. (Laughter).

But do you behave in a foolish manner?—I don't dance or jump. (Laughter).

After having a peg do you understand the nature of some actions?—Yes.

Had you ever had champagne before the day you spoke about?—No.

What was the kind of champagne?—It began to fizz and the accused told me it was champagne.

Was it like an ordinary bottle of brandy?—How can I say? It was black in colour and bigger than a brandy bottle.

Was it as thick as a brandy bottle?—It was thicker.

WHAT HAPPENED AT GREEN'S

On that day you met the accused near the National Bank?—Yes.

When?—Between 5-30 and 6 p.m.

It was not later than 6 p.m.?—It may be.

Witness, further questioned by Mr. Velinker, said he and the accused alighted from a carriage at Green's and went into the garden. He had champagne at a place opposite the Taj Mahal Palace Hotel The place had an open space with chairs and tables in it. They sat in the compound It was dusk when they started drinking. Before they went there he (witness) had had no drinks that day. He might have gone to this place before but he did not remember. He had been to the Foras Road bar, the Railway Hotel, Fakirji's bar and other places before. He always paid cash there. He had also been to Morenas' restaurant. Before the day in question, the accused used to take him out for drinks but he did not remember the names of the bars. On the day when he (witness) had champagne nobody else sat at the table where he and the accused were seated. They were there for half an hour or three-fourths of an hour. The two bottles were called for, one after another. Witness had also one or two cakes. He did not remember who had the lion's share of the drinks but they were going on drinking. They did not drink out of the bottles (laughter) but poured the stuff into tumblers which were half-sized tumblers. They were like soda-water tumblers but smaller.

Whilst they were having the drink the accused told him to go to his house where he said he would give him the pearl and finish the matter.

THE VISIT TO ACCUSED'S HOUSE.

At the accused's house the accused poured out a peg, or a peg and a quarter or half a peg. Witness was intoxicated but was not dead drunk. He did not measure the quantity. He took it with soda. He had it twice or thrice like that. He was then in such a condition that if anything were taken out of his pocket he would not know it. He began to stutter in consequence of the drink. He could not speak firmly. When he got up from the chair he had been affected by the drinks. He did not fall to the ground. He did not feel giddy. He wrote the documents at a table as far as he could remember. The accused dictated and witness took it down Witness' hand was not shaking. He did not remember how many documents he wrote that night,—it might be one, two, three or five,—it might be two or three. It took him about half an hour to write them. He took no drinks whilst he was writing the documents. He did not remember what he wrote then. When he left the accused's place he had no recollection of the nature of the documents. He then went to his own place. A maid-servant opened the door. His hat was on his head then but he could not be sure. (Laughter.) He did not remember whether he had a turban or a cap on his head that night, but there was something there. He took no meals at home that night. He did not remember whether he went to sleep in his clothes. So far as he remembered he went to bed with the same clothes that he had put on that day. He got up the next day about 8-30 or 9 o'clock in the morning, with a headache and feeling thirsty.

AT MR. WACHA'S OFFICE.

After breakfast he left home. About 2 p.m. he went to Mr. Wacha's office, where he gave a letter of authority to act for him and warrants of attorney. He wrote out the letter at the instance of the accused, who dictated it. He was under his influence and wrote out what the accused told him to. He understood the purport of the document. The accused got him to write the document on the representation that he would get him back his pearl and all his money. It was not witness' intention that Mr. Wacha should act for him. But he wrote the document as he wanted to get back his pearl and money. He did it out of necessity. He was not drunk then, but he wrote the letter on account of the inducement held out by the accused. He asked the accused for the pearl, and the latter told him he would send for the key of the safe in which the pearl was kept. The accused then showed him Nomanbhai's hundis and promised to recover this money and also the amount of Nomanbhai's and other mortgages. Witness was shown a warrant of attorney, signed by him. He said he did not know what suit the warrant was about. He was not aware of having filed a suit against Moreshwar Vithal Joshi. Witness did not remember if he obtained a decree on the suit against Joshi. He did not remember whether he went to the Court and swore to prove the suit at all. He did not remember whether he changed his attorneys in the suit on 13th April. Witness was shown a warrant in favour of Messrs. Ardeshir, Hormusji and Dinshaw, which he said was signed by him. He told Mr. Nariman to get all his suit work transferred from Messrs. Wacha and Co. He did not remember in what matters he gave warrants of attorney for Messrs. Ardeshir, Hormusji and Dinshaw. He signed two or four warrants in favour of Messrs. Ardeshir, Hormusji and Dinshaw.

QUESTION OF FRAMING CHARGES.

The Magistrate here told Mr. Velinker that at the next hearing he should be prepared with the accused's written statement, as he was going to frame three separate charges in respect of the three hundis.

Mr. Velinker said the written statement was even now ready and if his Worship was going to frame a charge counsel would ask for the case to be sent to the Sessions. Certain things had happened which made the accused feel that the case ought to go before a jury.

The Magistrate said that if the accused had any apprehension in his mind that he would not get justice in this Court he might apply for a transfer. He (the Magistrate) was not at all anxious to try the case.

Mr. Velinker said that on the 9th May the complainant had stated that the information in this case was held back for five or six days so that it could be filed in this Court.

The Magistrate said he did not remember having heard the complainant say so. If the complainant had said so it would have left an impression on his mind. Mr. Velinker ought to have brought it to his notice there and then.

COUNSEL'S ASSURANCE.

Mr. Velinker said the Magistrate could take it from him as a responsible counsel that such a statement was made. He himself heard it and Mr. Kotwal had also made a note of it. He was prepared to go into the witness-box and say this on oath. He did not wish to delay matters by asking for a transfer and therefore he was going to apply that the case be committed to the Sessions.

Mr. Davar said that even if what Mr. Velinker said had happened, the complainant had a right to select his own forum for his case and it was not for counsel for the defence to object to it. The *mala fides* of the application were clear because it was only after the Court had expressed its intention of framing charges that the defence resorted to these tactics.

Mr. Velinker said that long before this he had instructions from his client that, in case a *prima facie* case was held to be made out against him, an application should be made to the Court to commit the case to the Sessions. He (counsel) therefore decided to wait until the cross-examination of the complainant was finished and to see whether the Court would frame a charge or not.

It was decided to drop the matter until Mr. Velinker made an application in form.

The case was adjourned to the 6th instant.

HE KERALEEYA AYURVEDA SAMAJAM, TRICHUR.

In our to-day's issue there appears an advertisement of a raffle in connection with the Keraleeya Ayurveda Samajam. The prospectus states that the raffle is conducted with the special sanction of the Cochin Darbar by some of the most well-known men of Kerala. The objects of this Samajam are, to open Ayurvedic dispensaries and hospitals wherever possible; to encourage and promote the study of Ayurvedic science by establishing Ayurvedic colleges and schools and by granting diplomas to qualified students; to maintain a library of Medical treatises and a garden of Medical herbs and plants; and to make such other arrangements as may be found necessary for the attainment of the objects above set forth.

ALLEGATIONS AGAINST A PLEADER.

COMPLAINANT CROSS-EXAMINED.

At the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday, the Fourth Presidency Magistrate resumed the hearing of the case in which Superintendent Morris charged Mr. Yacoob Ibrahim Sayani, pleader, with having used a forged document as genuine, with cheating in respect of some title deeds belonging to Mr. Kazi Mahomed Ismail Kazi Rahimtulla and with criminal breach of trust.

The accused was defended by Mr. Reuben Solomon, pleader.

The complainant was further cross-examined by Mr. Solomon. He said that he had seen his account books that day. There was no entry in them regarding payments to Mr. Sayani. He remembered the time when he sent a letter to the accused through Messrs. Shroff, Dinshaw and Dharamsey, in which he asked the accused for some of his documents. After getting this letter written, witness entrusted to the accused his brief in a suit filed against him by Abdul Karim for Rs. 12,000 odd. It was before writing the letter that he consulted the accused in the matter of the suit for injunction filed against him by Bai Hirbai. The work of approving the draft of the mortgage of his Uzria Mohella property was done by the accused this year. The first sum of Rs. 5,000 was taken by the complainant from Sir Ibrahim Rahimtulla in March, 1911. In June and July he took Rs. 5,000 each month. The complainant made an agreement with Sir Ibrahim Rahimtullah that he would mortgage his property for a loan of Rs. 15,000. The complainant gave the documents of the mortgaged property to the accused for forwarding to Messrs. Shroff, Dinshaw and Dharamsey, solicitors, to Sir Ibrahim Rahimtullah, for investigation. They were handed over at the beginning of March at the office of Messrs. Kanga and Sayani. The documents of all the complainant's properties were given at the same time to the accused, but subsequently he (complainant) told the accused to forward the documents of Chibulgulli property to the solicitors of Sir Ibrahim Rahimtullah. The documents of the Chibulgalli property were required by Sir Ibrahim Rahimtullah and so the complainant took the documents from the office of Messrs. Kanga and Sayani and handed them over to the accused asking him to send them to Sir Ibrahim's solicitors. In the presence of Mr. Dubash solicitor, witness entrusted the accused with the documents at Messrs. Kanga and Sayani's office. This work was given to accused to be done in his private capasity, not as a servant of Messrs. Kanga and Sayani.

The complainant knew that several lost documents were found with Messrs. Kanga and Sayani. The documents of the Junaghad property were in the bundle. He (complainant) had complained to the police that the documents of his Junaghad property were missing. They were now with the police. They were in Mr. Sayani's bundle, but were returned to him. It was not true that the complainant took the lost documents to the office of Messrs. Kanga and Sayani in order to have the properties transferred to his and his mother's names. The complainant never took the municipal transfer form from Messrs. Kanga and Sayani for his and his mother's signature. Witness now remembered that in 1911 he applied to the Municipality for one-fifth drawback. He (complainant) remembered that in answer to his application for one-fifth drawback the Municipality asked him to get the properties transferred to his name.

Mr. Morris in addressing the Court said that the manner in which it had been reported in some newspapers that the missing documents were found in the office of Messrs. Kanga and Sayani, left an impression that their office had been searched. He said that the prosecution were grateful to Mr. Kanga for the steps he had taken in this matter and would like it to be known that the documents were handed over to him as soon as they were asked for.

The further hearing was adjourned.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, June 2.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Messrs. N. M. Bodds and J. C. Chukerburt are appointed temporary Lieutenants in the Indian Medical Service.

The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—To be Second-Lieutenants (Infantry Branch): E. S. G. Fricker, M. Thurley, A. J. Lyons, W. Jessie and J. C. Williams.

Major C. P. Wynter, Commandant, 52nd Sikhs, and Major H. Ross, 105th Infantry, are promoted Lieutenant-Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. J. Macnamara, I.M.S., is promoted as Colonel.

Colonel D. S. J. D. Grant, I.M.S., is detained in service for one year, or for period of the war, whichever is less.

Colonel H. S. C. Carruthers, I.M.S., resigns his appointment.

Lieut.-Colonel F. B. Hill, 40th Pathans, and Major A. H. T. Rouse, 61st Pioneers, retire from service.

Captain H. R. Hadow, 15th Sikhs, is transferred to the temperary half pay list.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

To be temporary Lieutenants:—J. G. Lark, J. G. Clarke, G. B. Keeling, W. J. Donnan, H. H. Goodwin, W. H. Thompson, J. Colling, B. Sinclair, C. B. Barfoot, G. H. Jackson, J. Bick, A. V. Griffiths, J. D. Hodgman, G. Bergwit, W. O. Parry, W. W. Pearson, F. R. Davey and F. A. Matson.

A. W. Swair, G. Driver and M. Pagi become temporary Engineers.

Sir Harcourt Butler leaves Maymyo on June 24 for Mandalay and arrives at Rangoon on June 30. His Honour will visit Tavoy in July and pay a short visit to the Viceroy at Simla in September.

BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

NEW ALEXANDRA CINEMA.

A WONDERFUL ART FILM.

Picture theatre-goers in Bombay will, this week have the opportunity, thanks to the enterprise of the management of the New Alexandra, of seeing a film which is described as "a truly wonderful and gorgeous production." This is none other than the screen version of the famous French classic of the Sea by Pierre de la Motte Fouque entitled "Undine." A representative of this journal who was accorded the privilege of a private view of this notable film was greatly impressed. Pictures of caves and deep crevices caverns, whose hundred-foot arches cut through towering walls of malpai rock, that rise in silent grandeur from the futile beating of the surf at their base; pictures of sea nymphs, garlanded with strings of kelp and sea-weed, sliding from half-merged rocks in the breakers or riding through the surf on dolphins and sporting about in the water among the seals; pictures of wood fairies shifting about from tree to tree and disappearing down the semi-lighted archways of giant pines that grow straight to the water's edge; pictures, in fact, of everything but the conventional, the commonplace world we all know so well; pictures of elves and gnomes and woodland sprites that come and go in a twinkling coming from nowhere and disappearing into thin air, melting into waterfalls and blending and becoming a part of masses of sea-foam, these and a hundred other effects that seem incredible, even when they are seen on the screen, form a part, but only a part of this film

The inevitable sensation in the film, of course, is the dive which Miss Ida Schnall made from a height of more than 175 feet from the top of a wall of rock straight to the sea below. The height and the wonderful courage of the girl who made it, cannot be doubted after witnessing the leap on the screen as the camera caught it from a distance of more than 300 feet. The company responsible for this picture comprised some sixty people, including Miss Ida Schnall, the champion woman athlete swimmer and diver of the world, who plays the role of Undine, with her 25 swimming and diving girls, every one of whom possesses a cup or a medal or a title of some sort for skill in aquatic sports. Besides there is Douglas Gerrard who plays the role of Knight, and Edna Maison who plays the role of the fisherman's grown up daughter and Mary Frances Kiernan who plays the part of little Bertalda.

The film from the artistic point of view is certainly one of the finest that has ever been projected in Bombay. Although the sea nymphs and wood nymphs are clothed only in the rich masses of luxuriant hair falling from their heads and a few weeds, there is nothing offensive or suggestive in the spectacle; it is a purely artistic production.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.

The management of the Royal Opera House mark all public holidays by some special attraction. To-day at both performances prizes of chocolates and boxes of Indian sweets will be given to one out of every four of the patrons. These presents are really worth having, and the programme is equally worth seeing, so there should be two large houses.

To-morrow the new bill starts. The long drama is called "Noble Deeds" and is a stirring story of love and war, with a brave French soldier winning the girl of his heart by a brave action. Two other films are comedies. "The High-Fliers" is a fable founded on the moral "The higher you fly, the harder you fall." It is full of quaint Americanisms one of which runs "She would play ragtime hot from the oven, but for Beethoven and Wagner she had no use."

The other comedy for to-morrow tells of a plot hatched by two men to prevent a girl from going to Africa as a missionary among the "poor dear negroes." As one of the men is going to marry the lady one cannot wonder at the desperate means he took to persuade her that "after all you can't beat Noo York."

To-morrow week will see the screening of the famous photo-play "The Garden of Lies," which was postponed for a week in order to give those at present in the Hills a chance of witnessing it.

INDIAN STUDENTS AT GLASGOW.

The following Indian students have passed this year the examination for the degree of B.Sc. of the Glasgow University:—

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A MISSING EUROPEAN ASSISTANT.

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CALCUTTA, June 2.

Mr. B. C. Wheatcroft, an assistant with Messrs. Bird & Co.'s Indian Patent Stone Co., has been missing since Tuesday morning last. On that day he visited the head office of the Company about 10 a.m. He then left in the office car and was in the neighbourhood of Sealdah when a breakdown occurred. He told the chauffeur he would take a taxi and went away. Since then he has not been seen. He is well-known as being engaged in much good work at St. James' Church and is living at the Rectory of that church. He is a prominent worker in the Boy Scout movement.

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THE FINANCIAL STICK.

It is a commonplace that the success of local self-government must depend on the manner in which local bodies are constituted and on the resources that are placed at their disposal. We have already dealt with the disappointing recommendations of the Committee appointed by Government in regard to the constitution of Local Boards in the Presidency and the decisions arrived at thereon by Government. The recommendations of the Committee as regards the finances of Local Boards,—though incompelete and hesitating,—are at least characterized by a spirit of comparative liberality and appear to have been prompted by something like an adequate recognition of the need of placing the resources of these Boards on a satisfactory basis. The Government, however, in their Resolution, summarily dispose of these recommendations by stating that "in particular, they regard the financial proposals, which form one of the most important sections of the Report, as based in the main on wrong premises." Certainly, if the proposals formed one of the most important sections of the Report, they deserved something better than the scanty treatment bestowed on them by Government. But, apart from this, Government owed it to the public, who are deeply interested in the question, that such inconsequential dogmatism should not have found its way into a document which purports to be,—or, at any rate, ought to be,—the result of deep and mature deliberation. If Government are still considering this question, along with many others raised in the Report, it would obviously have been a logical course on their part not to have indulged in this dogmatism at all. If, on the other hand, they have already considered this question and formed their conclusions, it was imperative that they should have taken the public into their confidence at once and placed them in possession of all the reasons which have prompted them to characterize the recommendations of the Committee as in the main based on wrong premises. In any case, we trust that no time will be lost before Government announce the nature of the action which they propose to take with regard to this important matter with which the progress of self-government is closely bound up.

If we remember the functions with which these local bodies are entrusted and contrast their wide range with the extremely meagre character of the resouces now available to them we can realise how unequal these are to a proper performance of those functions. The point is one with regard to which practical agreement exists between officials and non-officials. The late Sir Herbert Risley years ago admitted that the resources of district boards and municipalities are not sufficient to enable them to work up to modern standards of administration and the late Sir John Jenkins put the same thing more pointedly when he said that, considering the meagre resources of these bodies, it was no wonder that more interest was not exhibited in their work. The Committee endorses the general view as to the inadequacy of the resources of the Local Boards.

"The growing needs of the country," it states, "cannot be met, and the budgets are almost completely filled by fixed charges which can be neither avoided nor varied. Every person acquainted with the districts could compile a long list of urgent requirements,—roads and bridges, and school houses and tanks and wells, but interest in the matter is vain, for there is no money to spend."

The recommendations of the Committee in the direction of remedying this state of things resolve themselves into two broad divisions, first in regard to funds raised by the Local Boards themselves, directly or indirectly; and second, funds provided by Government. The liability of Government to make substantial contributions towards the expenditure incurred by local bodies cannot be denied. "In fact," as Mr. Patel points out, "what is known as local self-government, as applicable to rural areas in this country, is nothing but the transfer of control and management of certain matters of local administration from Government to the representatives of the people." Such a transfer, without the simultaneous transfer of funds adequate to manage those matters efficiently, is aptly described by one of the members of the Committee as putting a price on local self-government. The fact, however, has been that suitable action has hitherto not been taken in accordance with this recognised principle. A Note submitted by the three Commissioners states that a comparison of the growth of the Provincial and Local Boards revenues in the last 25 years shows that the expansion of the Local Boards revenues has in no way kept pace with the expansion of the Provincial revenues. The Commissioners are constrained to admit, that a considerable enhancement of the provincial subventions would be justified. But the net result of the Committee's recommendations in this respect, that a share in certain expanding sources of public revenue, preferably the Excise (a two-anna share) and Land Revenue (a three-pie share,) be granted to local bodies, amounts merely to this, as Mr. Patel points out, that the Boards have secured an addition of only 2½ lakhs to the amount received last year. Mr. Patel, in his minute, has no difficulty in showing that the course proposed is not at all likely to settle the relations between the Government and the local bodies on a satisfactory basis, unless the proportion of Government contribution towards the expenditure of Local Boards is definitely fixed and provision made to augment the amount in the account by increased shares of those revenues or in any other manner to make up the proportion so fixed.

Mr. Patel himself proposes an alternative scheme, which simple and workable as it is, would go a long way to remove the financial troubles of local bodies, bearing a fixed proportion to this principle, that Government, who appropriate the lion's share of the revenues derived from the local areas, must be made liable for a contribution to the expenditure incurred by the local bodies bearing a fixed proportion to this expenditure. The Committee accept this principle in regard to the expenditure on primary education in recommending that two-thirds of it may be met from the Provincial grant, whatever may be the method approved by Government. This partial remedy, however, is illogical and not calculated to improve matters; for, in the case of their contribution for primary education, having exhausted the full amount due in a given year, Government might well excuse themselves from any liability to contribute anything towards any other expenditure. Mr. Patel solves the difficulty by the simple proposal that, not only should Government grants in future bear a fixed proportion to such expenditure but that the proportion should be three-fourths and one-fourth in respect of education and half-and-half in respect of other works, as between Government and Local Boards respectively. It is necessary to draw attention to the misconception under which the Committee seem to labour with regard to the relation of Government control to Government contribution. The Decentralization Commission emphatically laid down that increased Government grants should not be treated as justifying increased control. The Committee quote the view of the British Departmental Committee on Local Taxation that "all grants be conditional on the efficient administration of the services, in respect of which they are given," as being in conflict with the *obiter dicta* of the Decentralization Commission. We do not think that any contradiction between the two views exists as suggested by the Committee. What seems to be considered essential by both the authorities is that there should be no centralised control but that it should be seen that the grants are efficiently used, Government only reserving to themselves,—as they do under the Act,—extreme powers of reduction and regulation only in cases of gross maladministration of funds. The perpetual flourishing and use of the financial stick would keep the local bodies in the leading strings of local officialdom,—a result which is the direct contrary of the declared aim of Government.

Notes of the Day

Mr. Churchill's Indictment.

It is not easy to gather together the threads of the attack on Lord Kitchener in the House of Commons supplied in Reuter's telegram. Apparently Mr. Churchill accused the Secretary for War of losing two million men of the five million representing the "Empire's effort," because, he, Mr. Churchill can only count up three million. That is a difficulty that most of us labour under. We hear about five million men, then we learn that there are only a million and a quarter here, quarter of a million there and a hundred thousand somewhere else, and we make an allowance for the number of men making munitions and the number under training, the number isolated in hospital as healthy disease carriers and the number in disgrace for refusing to be inoculated, and when we have got a result about as inaccurate as our estimates of German casualties, we wonder what has become of the balance and give it up as a bad job! Regarded as a quiet pastime for a dull evening at home it is a harmless enough way of spending one's time. But when we have serious politicians presenting their calculations to Parliament and practically accusing the Government of having mislaid or lost sight of or wasted two million men it sounds rather preposterous.

The Premier's Explanation.

It seems, thus, rather a painful reflection that the House should be left in such a state of bewilderment that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, better accustomed to handling millions than most, should have to come to its rescue and explain that when we talk of five million as the Empire's effort we do not necessarily mean the military effort but the total man-power withdrawn from the Empire for war purposes. Of course, as the Premier admitted, Lord Kitchener has made mistakes,—so has Mr. Churchill and so have the critics of the Northcliffe Press and the "Ginger" gang, whose leadership Mr. Churchill has taken up. How could it be otherwise? But who will say that he has in any direction blundered seriously enough to deserve censure, or can forget that he alone foresaw the length of the war and the tremendous calls to be made on the manhood of the nation? Mr. Asquith seems to have given a satisfactory explanation of the general distribution of the armies and his assurance that steps are being taken to utilise a greater proportion of men in the fighting line will be welcomed.

The Liberty of the Subject.

Sir Herbert Samuel, the Home Secretary, in a speech at the National Liberal Club, recently, in which he defended his use of the powers under the Defence of Realm Act to intern persons of hostile origin "even though naturalised" without trial, remarked that, for his part, *in time of war*, he could in no circumstances consent to surrender the power entrusted to him under the Act. He said this while emphasising the desire of all Liberals to preserve "to the fullest possible extent the liberty of the subject," and while pointing out that cases of internment in England are revised by the Advisory Committee appointed for that purpose. It is almost incredible that anyone could be perverted enough to construe this into an assumption that "the Englishman's reverence for the 'rule of law' has undergone considerable modifications," and that the war has taught him "the danger of placing too much dependence on the efficacy of theoretically unexceptionable principles of administration," and to base thereon the joyous hope that these aberrations of the sacred principles of British liberty will, after the war, become permanent and fixed exceptions. Yet this is what "The Pioneer" does.

What to Expect After the War.

Sir Herbert Samuel's speech emphasised, if anything, the fact that the powers he possesses were solely justified by the grave character of the times and the people against whom they are used. The organ of the bureaucracy in India, however, positively chortles over its own perversion of his defence of extraordinary measures in extraordinary times and concludes with the following outburst:—

So much for time of war, but one may hope that when peace returns the experience which has brought home to all patriotic citizens the need of placing the interests of the State far above those of the individual will prevent the few in the future from exploiting to their own advantage the so-called principles of individual liberty. Here in India we are apt to hear a good deal of abuse at times hurled at the methods adopted for keeping in check the more sinister activities of the professional agitator. It may be hoped, however, for its own sake that Government will be very slow indeed to accept the invitation of its critics to tie itself down to deal in this or that "regular" manner with men, who have put themselves outside the pale of the ordinary law.

It is not clear what is exactly meant by the fuddle-headed language of the last sentence, for if people put themselves "outside the pale of the ordinary law" surely the ordinary law can deal with them. But we suppose that what "The Pioneer" means is that if people, keeping within the pale of the ordinary law, fail to conform to the bureaucratic standard of political behaviour, the Executive must be free to clap them into jail without trial. But this does not go far enough. Why have any law at all? Why be "tied down" to any "regular manner" of dealing with the public. We should all be saved no end of bother and expense and the Government all the embarrassment of inconvenient criticism.

A Munsiff's Zoolum.

"Calcutta Weekly Notes" contains an account of a case in which two people were charged with obstructing a public servant (a moonsiff), an offence for which the Sub-Divisional Officer of Munshigunge, Dacca (name not given), gave one of them three months' rigorous imprisonment. The Sessions Judge of Dacca (name not given) reduced this to a fine of Rs. 150. Mr. Justice Chitty, to whom the case was appealed, said: "No offence under section 186 appears to have been committed," and he ordered the case to be dismissed. The facts were that two people had gone to law about a right of way. The moonsiff went to inspect the place and incidentally wanted to inspect the accused's property, he having nothing to do with the litigation. The moonsiff "seemed to want to get some idea from the appearance of the place as to whether there was a right of way there," says the Sessions Judge. The accused put a fence over his waterway and so the Sub-Divisional Officer gave him three months' rigorous for preventing the moonsiff "sniffing" round his property; that is, for preventing him doing what he had no business to do. And thus it became "obstructing a public servant in the execution of his duty." We hear such a lot about the zoolum of executive officers, comments a Calcutta contemporary, that a similar act on the part of the judicial functionary comes as a surprise. The moonsiff's contention appears to be that he could invade anybody else's zenana in his thirst to do justice between A and B, and send a man to jail for obstructing him if he bolted the door of the inner apartment; and two other eminent judicial authorities seem to have upheld that view. And it required the High Court to protect the man.

Tuberculosis Prevention.

The annual report of the Health Department, Lahore, contains an interesting account of the working of the Tuberculosis Institute of the city. The institute engages in two distinct activities,—preventive measures and clinical work. Under the former an excellent leaflet explaining the causes of tuberculosis and the methods of avoiding it was issued in Urdu, Hindi and Gurmukhi. Again, facilities for examination were also given to poor persons thus ensuring the discovery and early treatment of many cases that otherwise would soon have become past cure. Lastly, in view of the fact that tuberculosis germs remain alive for years in dark and ill-ventilated houses, every possible facility is afforded for free official disinfection of dwellings for the most part with formaldehyde gas. It is instructive that an auxiliary preventive method, namely, compulsory notification by practitioners of all cases seems to have failed so far, for only six cases were reported during 1915 by three practitioners. Free consultation and treatment constitutes for the most part the clinical work of the institute.

Official and Personal.

H. H. the Maharaja of Bikaner has offered to his Imperial Majesty King-Emperor as a birthday gift two and a half lakhs of rupees from his privy purse to be devoted to such object of the war as his Majesty may consider desirable. The gift has been accepted by the King-Emperor.

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

AUSTRIAN ADVANCE CHECKED.

VERDUN ATTACKS DEFEATED.

TURKISH OFFENSIVE IN CAUCASUS.

PREMIER ON LORD KITCHENER'S SERVICES.

The Austrian advance in Trentino has been checked, the Italian wings are punishing the Austrians severely and a further enemy advance in the centre seems unlikely. It is authoritatively stated that the situation in the South Tyrol is still anxious but has improved during the last few days.

The artillery fight is still furious at Verdun. After several fruitless assaults the Germans succeeded in penetrating the first-line trenches between Douaumont Fort and Vaux Pond.

General Haig reports a long running fight between the reconnoitring British aeroplanes and three hostile machines. One of the latter was driven down and one of the British is missing.

Petrograd reports two successful Russian aviation raids on the enemy's communications on the Russian front.

In the Caucasus, in the Diabekir region, the Turks took the offensive from Oghnot against Kaogabazar. They occupied Ganiret, but a Russian counter-attack drove them out.

In the course of the debate on the motion to reduce Lord Kitchener's salary, Mr. Churchill urged an investigation of the proportion of non-fighters to fighters and the replacing of older officers by younger. Mr. Asquith made an effective reply, and concluded by saying, the debt which the country and Empire owed to Lord Kitchener was immeasurable.

Lord Kitchener has invited members of the Commons to meet him at the Foreign Office to receive any military information they desire.

It is understood that Mr. Herbert Samuel will temporarily act as Chief Secretary of Ireland.

Parliament has adjourned up to June 20.

TANNING AND PAPER MAKING IN INDIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 2.

Prof. Wyndham Dunstan in a paper read before the Society of Arts on the work of the Imperial Institute for India drew attention to the possibilities of the extension of the tanning and paper-making industries in India. The Institute, he said, was now able to play an important part in the new era of development.

Lord Islington, who presided, emphasised the necessity of applying scientific means to manufactures.

TRENTINO ADVANCE CHECKED.

AUSTRIANS BEING SEVERELY PUNISHED.

AUSTRIAN ADVANCE CHECKED.

INHABITANTS IN PLAINS REASSURED.

SPLENDID ITALIAN TRANSPORT SERVICE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
ROME, May 31.

The Italians have evacuated the town of Asiago, but are resisting very stubbornly on the lofty Asiago tableland.

The inhabitants in the plains were alarmed at the approach of the Austrians, but were reassured by the signs that the Austrian advance had been checked.

The Italian wings are punishing the Austrians severely and a further enemy advance in the centre seems unlikely.

The splendid Italian motor transport saved the situation, enabling great reinforcements to reach the Arsiero and Asiago plateaux in time to fill the gap made by the breaking of the first line.

The most serious loss was the abandonment of the big guns on the Monte Maggio-Tonizza line.

The Italian troops are most enthusiastic and are anxiously expecting the counter-offensive

FURTHER SURPRISE ATTACK.

REPULSED AT THE POINT OF THE BAYONET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
ROME, June 1.

A communiqué reports that both artilleries have continued active in the Lagarina Valley.

A further surprise attack at Buole was repulsed at the point of the bayonet. There has been considerable activity on Monte Pasubio north-west of Arsiero.

An enemy attack against Forniatti was beaten back by the Alpini.

The action between the Posina and Astico is continuing. The enemy crossed the Posina torrent but were checked.

Another column advancing south-eastward of Arsiero was driven in disorder across the Posina.

The Austrians are heavily pressing the Italian wing positions on Monteceugio in the Sette commune.

The situation is unchanged in Val Sugana.

SITUATION IN SOUTH TYROL.

IMPROVED DURING LAST FEW DAYS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

It is authoritatively stated that the situation in the South Tyrol is still anxious, but has improved during the last few days.

The Austrians are now rigorously held in the Lagarina and Sugana valleys, and the Italians are dominating the position at Asiego.

There is no reason to suppose that the enemy's plan of invading the plains will be successful.

GERMAN PEACE OVERTURES.

NOT WORTH CONSIDERING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

At question time in the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith said there was nothing in the German Note to the United States on May 7th, indicating that Germany was prepared to consider terms of peace which would safeguard the interests of the Allies and the future peace of Europe.

GERMAN CHANCELLOR ON PEACE.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, June 2.

A telegram from Munich shows that Dr. Bethmann-Hollweg is engaged in discussing peace more than food control.

In an interview with a Munich paper Dr. Bethmann declared that the present war map of Europe must form the basis of peace discussions. He suggested that direct separate negotiations with individual belligerent Powers would best promote peace.

LIEBKNECHT CHARGED WITH WAR TREASON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
AMSTERDAM, June 1.

The "Vossische Zeitung" states that Herr Liebknecht has been charged with war treason and is liable to ten years penal servitude.

LAHORE, June 2.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" cable says:—

The "Morning Post" Budapest correspondent learns from Berlin that Herr Leibknecht will be court-martialled and probably executed.

FURIOUS ARTILLERY BATTLE.

VIOLENT ENEMY ATTACK DEFEATED.

FRENCH AIR RAID.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, June 1.

The artillery fight is still furious at Verdun. This afternoon's communiqué says there was bombardment of the greatest violence at Dead Man. A German attack in the evening on the Eastern slopes of Dead Man was completely defeated.

The Artillery duel assumed a character of extreme intensity westward and eastward of Fort Douaumont.

A French air squadron attacked the railways and supply depots between Thionville and Metz.

SEVERAL ASSAULTS EAST OF MEUSE.

FIRST-LINE TRENCHES PENETRATED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, June 1.

Last night's communiqué said:—On the left of the Meuse there was an intermittent bombardment in the sectors of Mort Homme and Avocourt.

The Germans on the right of the Meuse after a furious bombardment attacked from Douaumont Farm to Vaux.

After several fruitless assaults they succeeded in penetrating our first-line trenches between Douaumont Fort and Vaux pond. Everywhere else the attacks were shattered by machine gun fire with heavy losses.

A group of German aeroplanes dropped bombs on the open town of Bar-le-Duc in the afternoon killing 18 civilians, including two women and four children and wounding 25, including six women and 11 children.

THE NEW VERDUN COMMANDER.

GREAT ARTILLERY OFFICER.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, June 1.

Mr. Warner Allen states that General Nivelle, the new commander at Verdun, is most popular and is one of the greatest artillery officers in the French army. He delights in testing new devices against the Boches.

AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY ON BRITISH FRONT.

LONG RUNNING FIGHT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

A communiqué from General Haig says:—Our aeroplanes while reconnoitring yesterday had a long running fight with three hostile machines. One of the latter was driven down and one of ours is missing. Hostile aircraft at night dropped eight bombs on Poperinghe without doing any damage.

There was continuous heavy reciprocal shelling all day with guns of all calibres in the neighbourhood of the Vimy Ridge and fire was sometimes intense. This has been the most noticeable feature of today's operations.

FUNERAL OF GENERAL GALLIENI.

IMPOSING CEREMONY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, June 2.

The funeral of General Gallieni, which took place in the presence of vast crowds, was an imposing ceremony.

President Poincaré headed the cortege, the feature of which was the large number of taxi-cabs in which General Gallieni brought up troops to the battle of Ourcq, thereby saving Paris.

Lord Kitchener and General Haig sent wreaths.

The Minister of War in an oration at Hotel des Invalides emphasised the deceased soldier's colonial work, comparing him with Dupleix.

SULTAN OF EGYPT.

CONSPIRATORS SENTENCED TO BE HANGED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
CAIRO, June 1.

The State trial of two men named Shamseldin and Helbawi on charges of conspiring to kill the Sultan of Egypt has ended. Both were found guilty on all counts and sentenced to be hanged.

CAUCASUS CAMPAIGN.

TURKS TAKE THE OFFENSIVE.

RUSSIANS HOLD A STRONG POSITION.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
PETROGRAD, May 31.

The communiqué says in the Diarbekir region the Turks took the offensive from Oghnote against Kaogabazar. They occupied Ganiret, but our counter-attack drove them out.

PETROGRAD, June 2.

Kaogabazar, which is mentioned in a communiqué on May 31st, where the Turks are endeavouring to break the Russian centre, is situated 50 miles south-west of Erzerum and the same distance north-west of Mush It is calculated that the enemy, including Germans and Austrians, number 40,000.

Among their forces are troops from Constantinople, Macedonia, Syria and Gallipoli.

The Russians hold a strong position past the Bingoldagh chain which they crossed after the capture of Erzerum. The Germans are sending constant reinforcements to Asia Minor.

A Turkish communiqué states that the Turks attacked the Russians at Mamahatun on a front of twenty miles.

SUCCESSFUL RUSSIAN AIR RAIDS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PETROGRAD, June 2.

A communiqué describes two successful Russian aviation raids on the enemy's communications on the western front.

KAISER AT EASTERN HEADQUARTERS

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
AMSTERDAM, June 2.

The Kaiser has visited the Eastern Headquarters.

Replying to General Hindenburg's welcome, he said:—We are obliged to pull overselves together again for special deeds and efforts against a superior enemy. My armies will persevere victoriously and win an honourable peace. I, your War Lord and King, thank you for the unforgettable deeds which have made you a national hero.

VESSELS SUNK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

The British steamer "Dalegarth" has been sunk.

The Norwegian steamer Rauma has been sunk. The crew were saved.

NEWS FROM EGYPT.

CORDON ROUND THE NILE VALLEY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
ALLAHABAD, June 2.

The "Pioneer's" Cairo correspondent writes:—

On the western frontier we are continuing to follow up our recent successes and in the Solloum area affairs are resuming a normal aspect. All Arabs in the outlying districts have suffered very great privations and some of those who have come in have had no food for days.

Refugees from the Baharia oasis declare famine is imminent there and typhus has broken out with every prospect of the epidemic spreading in Dakhla, the most easterly oasis, where things are just as bad and the enemy force there and in Bakaria is completely terrorising the inhabitants, who flee over to our lines.

On every available occasion our patrols in armoured cars are doing good work. In the north they have discovered two complete German wireless sets buried in the desert and over a quarter of million rounds of ammunition. There can be but very few hidden stores left now.

IDEAL AEROPLANE BASE.

To the south we have occupied Hatiyat-el-Moghara which is on the main route to Siwa and we have re-occupied the oasis of Kharga, the first named post will stop all supplies going out to Tripoli from this district and should complete the cordon which has been drawn all along the Nile valley, whilst the Kharga constitues an ideal jumping-off place for our aeroplanes which are daily bombarding the enemy positions.

So complete do our dispositions on the western frontier appear to be, that there is little fear of any serious hostile movement being made by the enemy, whilst there is every possibility of his having to throw up the sponge in the very near future owing to the desert.

Since last I wrote a military order has been issued calling upon all male British subjects between the ages of 18 and 41 to fill in a form giving full particulars as to their occupation etc., this order has been received quite calmly by the English element but it has created some excitement amongst Maltese and other British subjects who have besieged the consulates in order to fill in the form and obtain information as to its object.

ARMY ORGANISATION.

MR. CHURCHILL'S CRITICISM.

PREMIER'S EFFECTIVE REPLY.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, May 31.

In the course of the debate on the motion to reduce Lord Kitchener's salary, Mr. Churchill said that, taking the strength of the army at five millions, he found nearly two millions unaccounted for.

He urged an investigation of the proportion of non-fighters to fighters and the replacing of older officers by younger.

He paid a tribute to Lord Kitchener's supreme services, but said that should not prevent improvement in the organisation.

Mr. McKenna in reply said that the figure of five millions did not represent our military effort, but the total man-power withdrawn from the Empire since the beginning of the war.

Mr. Asquith dealing with Mr. Church comments, said he doubted whether the disproportion between the ration and rifle strength of the forces in the field was as great in our army as in any other now engaged, though all our supplies had to be transported by sea. Steps were being taken, however, to utilise a greater proportion in the fighting line.

With regard to the disproportion of troops at home and abroad, the Premier said, that though we were not invaded, we must always effectively provide against invasion.

Subject to that provision, the troops in Britain were either sick or convalescent, were forming drafts for abroad, or were new divisions, which were ready or approximately ready to go.

A substantial reduction of staff officers was being effected, notably at Salisbury, Ripon and Aldershot.

The debt which the country and Empire owed to Lord Kitchener was immeasurable. He had laboured with zeal and self-devotion beyond praise. He did not assert that Lord Kitchener had made no mistakes, but the charges made against him largely affected Mr. Asquith himself and the Government and Mr. Asquith accepted his full share of the responsibility.

Mr. Tennant paid a tribute to Lord Kitchener's foresight in providing great armies for a long war.

LORD KITCHENER AND THE COMMONS.

MILITARY INFORMATION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

Lord Kitchener has invited Members of the Commons to meet him at the Foreign Office on Friday to receive any military information they desire, and a large response is expected. Lord Kitchener will address them and then answer questions.

RELIEVING OFYOUNGER MEN FOR FIELD SERVICE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 2.

The War Office announces that in order to free younger men for field service it wants a thousand physically fit married attested men of over 35 years for important war work in Great Britain.

The pay will be at the rate of nine-pence an hour and the men will not be under military control. The nature of the work is not stated.

IRISH NEGOTIATIONS.

PREMATURE STATEMENT.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

The statement that Mr. Lloyd George would make a definite announcement today regarding Ireland was premature.

It is officially stated that Mr. Lloyd George's enquiries are incomplete though they are progressing rapidly.

CONFERENCE OF ULSTER UNIONIST COUNCIL.

LONDON, June 2.

A special conference of the Ulster Unionist Council has been summoned for June 6th.

It will be attended by delegates from all parts of the province and will be addressed by Sir Edward Carson.

LOSSES IN THE IRISH REBELLION.

QUESTION OF COMPENSATION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

Mr. Herbert Samuel has gone to Dublin to deal with the question of compensation for losses in the rebellion. It is understood that he will temporarily act as Chief Secretary.

HOUSE OF COMMONS ADJOURNS.

LONDON, June 2.

The House of Commons has adjourned until June 20th

SHACKLETON EXPEDITION.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.

TERRIBLE PRIVATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

Reuter's Agency announces that the Shackleton Expedition had a marvellous escape. The Endurance encountered terrific weather early in 1915 in Weddell Sea and was nipped by great bergs. Eventually, after several months drifting she foundered.

Sir E. Shackleton succeeded in saving all the men and some stores, but they suffered terrible privations durng a hazardous voyage in boats to Elephant Island.

Owing to great scarcity of food Sir E. Shackleton decided to leave the majority of the men with rations in an ice-hole dug on the Island, while he and five companions sailed off in small boats to seek help.

They reached south Georgia after three weeks of extraordinary peril. The weather conditions prevented the whalers at south Georgia going to the rescue of the marooned men.

WORK OF THE EXPEDITION.

NEW COASTLINE DISCOVERED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 2.

King George has sent a message to Sir Ernest Shackleton paying a tribute to his wonderful journey.

Sir Ernest Shackleton in a cablegram to "The Daily Chronicle" says that the work of the expedition includes the discovery of 200 miles of a new coastline, complete hydrographical survey of Weddell Sea, elimination of New South Greenland from the map, continuous magnetic and meteorological observations and important biological cinema and photographic records.

Sir Ernest Shackleton says that the party on Elephant Island had full rations for five weeks exclusive of the possibilities of obtaining seals.

NORWAY'S FISH CATCH.

PURCHASED BY GREAT BRITAIN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

Mr. Runciman has concluded negotiations for the purchase of Norway's entire catch of fish for the year, depriving Germany of valuable food, and adding to the British supply which has recently been reduced to a minimum from various causes including the employment of fishing craft for naval purposes. Germany in 1915 secured Norway's entire catch.

MEXICAN NOTE TO U. S. A.

QUESTIONS AMERICA'S GOOD FAITH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
WASHINGTON, June 1.

The Mexican Note bluntly questions the good faith of the United States in sending troops to Mexico and threatens armed resistance unless they are withdrawn, but it is believed that the belligerent tone of the Note is intended for home consumption.

CITY OF LUCKNOW.

OFFICIAL ACCOUNT OF THE SINKING.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, June 1.

The official account of the sinking of the City of Lucknow without warning by a German submarine on April 30th states that the torpedo was seen approaching.

The ship was going full speed at the time and attempted to avoid the torpedo, but it struck her on the port side and a huge explosion followed, wrecking the aft part of the ship.

The engines stopped and the crew took to boats. The ship sank in ten minutes.

The submarine was seen two miles away, but it ignored the boats which steered for Malta and were picked up by a warship. The crew behaved admirably.

MONTAGU'S SILVER REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 1.

Messrs. Montagu's silver market report says the retrograde movement in prices was accelerated by substantial sales on account of China while the Indian bazaars were rather sellers than buyers and America contributed the usual quota.

The demand continued constant and substantial. The avoidance of unnecessary rivalry on the part of buyers naturally made the market more sensitive to all round selling, but the wisdom of the step was plainly evident.

DAMAGED ZEPPELIN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
COPENHAGEN, June 1.

The Zeppelin L64 has passed over Fanoe in a south-west direction, apparently badly damaged.

STABILIZING THE EXCHANGE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
NEW YORK, June 2.

Fifty million dollar six months' credit, arranged by London banks in December for the purpose of stabilizing the Exchange, has been extended for further twelve months at five per cent.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS.

TWO BOMBAY KNIGHTS.

SIR RATAN TATA AND SIR STANLEY REED.

MR. MACBAIN CREATED A C. I. E.

MR. R. P. MASANI GETS KAISER-I-HIND MEDAL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, June 2.

The following Birthday Honours are gazetted:—

TO BE C. B.

Colonel (Temporary) Brigadier-General L. C. Dunsterville, I.A., commanding Peshawar Infantry Brigade.

Colonel F. W. H. Cox, I.A., Assistant Quarter-Master General, Burma.

Colonel H. Kennedy, I.A.

TO BE K. C. S. I.

The Hon. Mr. A. G. Cardew, Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of Madras.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Hugh Daly, late Ly Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner, Coorg.

TO BE (HONORARY) C. S. I.

The Shaikh of Koweit and Dependencies.

TO BE C. S. I.

Mr. L. Robertson, Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Political and Judicial Departments.

The Hon. Mr. J. G. Cumming, Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, on special duty.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. H. Aplin, I.A., Commissioner of Mandalay Division, Burma.

Sir James Dubouley, lately Private Secretary to the Viceroy.

The Hon. Mr. J. B. Wood, Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department.

TO BE (HONORARY) G. C. I. E.

The Shaikh of Mohammerah.

TO BE K. C. I. E.

The Hon. Nuwab Syed Shams-ul-Huda, Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of Bengal.

The Hon. Raja Rampal Singh, Taluqdar of Kurri Sidhauli, United Provinces.

Mr. A. H. Diack, Financial Commissioner, Punjab.

The Hon. Mr. Sao Mawng Sawbwa of Yawng Hwe, Burma.

His Highness Raja Arjun Singh, Chief of Narsingarh, Central India.

ADDITIONAL K. C. I. E. FOR WAR SERVICES.

The Hon. Captain Malik Umar Hayat Khan, of Kalra, Shahpur District, Punjab.

TO BE C. I. E.

The Hon. Col. W. M. Ellis, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Raja V. Vasudeva Raja Avargal Valiya Nambidi, of Kollengode, Malabar District, Madras.

The Hon. Lieut.-Col. J. Jackson, I.M.S., Inspector-General of Prisons, Bombay.

The Hon. Mr. J. A. D. McBain, Manager, Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, Bombay.

The Hon. Rao Bahadur G. K. Sathe, Assistant Public Prosecutor, Sholapur, Bombay.

Mr. C. Adams-Williams, Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, Bengal.

The Hon. Mr. H. R. C. Hailey, Director of Land Records and Agriculture, United Provinces.

Mr. Bansidhar Bannerjee, Deputy Collector, Bengal.

The Hon. Mr. R. T. Dundas, Inspector-General of Police, Bihar and Orissa.

Mr. R. G. Kilby, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Balasore, Bihar and Orissa.

Mr. G. E. Purvis, lately Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Irrigation Branch, Punjab.

Mr. A. B. Kettlewell, lately Additional Secretary to the Government, Punjab (on leave).

The Hon. Rai Bahadur Lala Ram Saran Das, Millowner, Lahore.

The Hon. Khan Bahadur Mian Muhammad Shafi, Bar.-at-Law, Advocate, Chief Court, Punjab.

Mr. H. A. Thornton, C.S., Superintendent, Northern Shan States, Burma.

Mr. C. H. Middlemiss, Superintendent, Geological Survey of India.

Major C. N. White, I.M.S., Assistant Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Mr. J. L. Maffey, C.S., Private Secretary to the Viceroy and lately Deputy Secretary in Foreign and Political Departments, Government of India.

Diwan Bahadur Tiwari Chhajuram, Diwan of Dattia State, Central India.

Seth Chandmal Dhudha, banker of Bikaner, Rajputana.

Mr. S. E. Pears, C.S., Political Agent, Khyber, North-Western Frontier Provinces.

Mr. W. N. Maw, C.S., Deputy Commissioner of Jubbulpore, Central Provinces.

Mr. J. E. Webster, C.S., Deputy Commissioner of Sylhet, Assam.

ADDITIONAL C. I. E. FOR WAR SERVICES.

Captain A. G. J. Macilwaine, R.A., M.C., Embarkation Medical Officer, Bombay.

Colonel H. A. K. Jennings, R.A., Director of Ordnance Stores in India.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Peacocke, Army Remount Department, Superintendent Remount Depot, Ahmednagar.

Major E. W. Cridgeway, 1st Battalion, 2nd Gurkha Rifles, Recruiting Officer for Gurkhas.

Capatin I. E. J. Mollison, 124th Rifles, Recruiting Officer for Punjabi Musalmans.

Mr. T. Avery, Chief Constructor, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay.

Commander E. W. Huddleston, Senior Marine Transport Officer, Bombay.

Major R. A. Steel, 17th Cavalry, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. B. Merewether, Supernumerary List, Political Department, Bombay.

TO BE KNIGHTS.

Mr. C. B. Simpson, senior partner and manager, of Messrs Binny and Co., Madras.

Dr. Stanley Reed, editor the "Times of India," Bombay.

Mr. Ratanji Jamshedji Tata, partner, Tata and Sons, Bombay.

The Hon. Mr. F. H. Stewart, partner, Messrs. Gladstone Wyllie and Co., Calcutta, Chairman Bengal Chamber of Commerce.

The Hon. Mr. Justice C. W. Chitty, Judge, High Court, Calcutta.

The Hon. Mr. M. W. Binning, merchant, Binning and Co., Rangoon, Burma.

Mr. R. S. Highet, Agent, East Indian Railway.

KAISAR-I-HIND GOLD MEDAL.

Her Highness the Maharani of Panna.

Her Highness Rani Sahiba Laxmibai Puar of Dhar, Central India.

Rev. Dr. W. Skinner, Principal, Christian College, Madras.

Mrs. K. Graham, wife of Dr. J. A. Graham, of St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong, Bengal.

Rani Surat Kuar Sahiba, landholder of Khairigarh, Kheri District, United Provinces.

Dr. H. M. Newton, of Church of Scotland Mission at Jalalpur, Jatan, Punjab.

Dr. R. G. Robson, Chairman of Municipal Committee, Aimer.

Rev. Dr. P. Cullen, Brigade-Surgeon, Lieutenant-Colonel, Indian Medical Service (retired) of Jubbulpore, Central Provinces.

KAISAR-I-HIND SILVER MEDAL.

Rev. F. L. Morler, London Mission, Gooty, Madras.

Mr. R. P. Masani, Secretary, Bombay Municipality, and Honorary Secretary, Food Prices Committee.

Sister E. Mary, Sister-in-charge of Nursing, Jamsetji Jijibhai Hospital, Bombay.

Mr. V. L. Mehta, Manager, Central Co-operative Bank, Bombay.

Mr. J. M. Antia, Honorary Secretary, Hospital Sub-Committee, Indian Relief Fund, Bombay Branch.

Mr. D. L. Vaughan Stevens, Joint Magistrate, Tangail, Bengal.

Babu Ram Kinkar Rai, Zemindar of Barischandrapur, Malda, Bengal.

Miss M. A. Grant, Lady Superintendent of Ramsay Hospital, Nainital.

Rev. G. B. Rulach, Fategarh, United Provinces.

Rev. G. J. Dann, Baptist Missionary, Bankipore, Bihar and Orissa.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant J. F. Fleming, Superintendent, Punjab Lunatic Asylums.

Bhai Takht Singh, Secretary, Sikh Kanya Maha Vidyala, Ferozepur District, Punjab.

Assistant Surgeon C. G. Crow, officiating Civil Surgeon, Sagaing, Burma.

Dr. (Miss) G. Stuart, Medical Missionary, Quetta.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ram Sahai, in charge of Indore Residency Hospital, Central India.

Mrs. H. R. Faridoonji, wife of Mr. Rustomji Faridoonji, Deputy Commissioner, Central Provinces.

Rev. F. W. Savidge, Missionary, Aijal Hushai Hills, Assam.

Rev. H. Gulliford, Wesleyan Mission, Mysore.

Mr. F. J. Hughes, Indo-European Telegraph Department, in charge of Harbar Telegraph Station, Persian Gulf.

Assistant Surgeon C. C. Kelly, in charge of Agency and Charitable Dispensary, Koweit, Persian Gulf.

IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER.

Mr. F. T. Eades, Store Department, Office.

Mr. C. N. Hall, Superintendent, Deccan Convict Gang Jail Department, Bombay.

Mr. P. K. Chitale, Executive Engineer, Gujerat Irrigation District, Bombay.

Mr. J. A. E. Burrup, Assistant Collector of Customs, Calcutta.

Khan Bahadur R. B. Vakil, Senior Assistant Secretary, Revenue and Financial Departments, Bombay.

Mr. E. Burke, Professor of Surgery, Punjab Veterinary College, Lahore.

Mr. S. M. Minus, Deputy Registrar, Chief Court, Burma.

Khan Bahadur S. M. Mustafa, Special Manager, Nanpara Estate, United Provinces.

Mr. H. Balaker, Government of India, Education Department.

Mr. Maung Tun Nyein, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Government Translator, Burma.

IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDAL.

Shaikh A. S. Dawood (son of Shaikh Ali), late Duffadar, Board of Revenue, Madras; Muhammad N. A. M. Turab (son of Muhammad Nizam-ud-Din), late head-peon officer of Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras; Sonu Bin Jagaji, Havildar, Office of Commissioner, Northern Division, Bombay; Ganuwukinda (son of Mukinda), peon to Assistant Engineer, Satara District, Bombay; Yesu (son of Pandu) Chowkidar in Presidency District, Bombay.

INDIAN HONOURS.

TO BE MAHARAJAH BAHADUR—PERSONAL DISTINCTION.

The Hon. Maharajah Sir Bhagwati Prasad Singh, of Balrampur, United Provinces,

TO BE RAJA BAHADUR—PERSONAL DISTINCTION.

Raja Ban Bihari Kapur, of Burdwan, Bengal.

TO BE RAJA—PERSONAL DISTINCTION.

Kumar Satya Niranjan Chakrabatti of Betampur, Bengal.

TO BE NAWAB—PERSONAL DISTINCTION

Wadero Jahibi Khan Valad Mahmed Khan, Chief of Chandio Caluch Tribenn, Sind.

TO BE MAHAMAHOPADYAYA.

C. D. Daudapaniswami Dikshitar South Arcot District, Madras.

Pundit Gana Nath Sen, L.M.S., of Calcutta.

Pandit Ramnath Vidyaratan Adhyapak of Khasa, Tol, Sylhet, Assam.

TO BE DIWAN BAHADUR.

Mr. C. G. Nayar, Deputy Collector, Mangalore, Madras; the Hon. Mr. A. S. R, Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalpore, Madras; Mr. C. V. Pantalu Garu, pleader, Godavari District, Madras; Munshi Raushan Lall, Judicial and Financial Member of Council, Bharatpur.

TO BE SARDAR BAHADUR.

Sardar Raghbir Singh, Honorary Magistrate and Sub-Registrar of Ladhran, Ludhiana District, Punjab; Rai Sahib Diwan Singh Drigal, 1st Grade Assistant Surgeon and Officiating Civil Surgeon in the Punjab; Mir Mehrab Khan, Gichki, Baluchistan; Munshi Lakhmir Singh, Assistant Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue Department.

TO BE KHAN BAHADUR.

The Hon. Mr. Ahmed Tambi Ghulam Muhi-ud-Din Ahmed Tambi Garakkayar, Merchant, Negapatam, Tanjore District, Madras; Mr. Ahmed bin Muhammad Shubaili, Agent to the Sultan of Maskat in Bombay; Assistant Surgeon Rustomji Jamshedji Petigara, Superintendent and Medical Officer, Sind Convict Gang, Bombay; Mr. Behramji Dorabji Banaji, Assessor and Collector, Bombay Municipality; Khan Saheb Mahomed Taki, Inspector Criminal Investigation Department, Bombay City Police Force; Mr. Hormusji Kharsedji Bhabha of Bandra, Bombay; Khan Saheb Kavasji Jamshedji Petigara, Inspector, Criminal Investigation Department, Bombay City Police Force; Khan Saheb Abu Nase Mahomed Ali, Deputy Collector, Bengal; Maulvi Ata-ur-Rahman, Deputy Collector, Bengal; Mr. Tawakkal Husain, Talukdar of Perpur, Fyzabad, United Provinces; Saiyid Iltifat Rasul of Sandila, Talukdar of Jalalpur, Hardoi District, United Provinces; Saiyid Muhammad Kazim, retired Deputy Collector, United Provinces; Khan Sahib Muhammad Ghulam Husen Khan of Lucknow, United Provinces; Munshi Abdul Hafiz Khan, Inspector of Police, Bareilly District, United Provinces; Khan Sahib Shaikh Rahim Bakhsh, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Punjab; Khan Sahib Abdul Hakim Khan, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Punjab; Khan Sahib Haji Nur Burhan, Honorary Magistrate, Lahore District, Punjab; Makhdum Sadr-ud-Din Shah Gilani, of Multan, Punjab; Mian Fazl-i-Husain, Barrister-at-Law, Advocate Chief Court, Punjab; Moulvi Saiyid Ahmad Husain, of Muzaffarpur, Bihar and Orissa; Subadar Nawab Nur Khan, Shwebo Battalion, Burma Military Police; Mian Musharraf Shahkaka Khel, of Ziarat Kaka Sahib, Peshawar District, North-West Frontier Province; Khan Sahib Malik Mir Akbar Khan Shinwari, of Loargai in the North-West Frontier Province; Khan Sahib Muhammad Akbar Khan, Inspector of Police, North-West Frontier Province; Khan Sahib Mehrban Khan Biluch of Pania Dera Ismail Khan, North-West Frontier Province; Shafa-ul-Mulk Hakim Raziaud-Din, Delhi; Khan Sahib Mianukhlasud-Din, Inspector of Police, Mesopotamia; Honorary Captain Mohamad Beg Sardar Bahadur, late Risaldar Major, 1st Madras Lancers, Indian Overseers, Indian Cavalry, Bellary Grass Farm, Bellary.

TO BE RAI BAHADUR.

Tadepalli Venkata Krishnayya Pantulu Garu, landholder, Ganjam District, Madras; Thaiyar Madabusi Narasimha Achariar, Vice-President, District Board, Cuddaph, Madras; Babu Annanda Charan Sen, District and Sessions Judge, Pubna, Bengal; Babu Bhagabati Charan Mitra, District and Sessions Judge, Bengal; Rai Sahib Abinash Chandra Basu, Personal Assistant to Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal; Rai Sahib Bihari Lal, Additional Honorary Magistrate, Calcutta and Retired Head Assistant, Public Works Department, Bengal; Babu Man Mohan Chakravarti, late Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bengal; Babu Satish Chandra Banerji, Assistant Professor of Physiology, Medical College, Calcutta; Babu Guma Prasad Mallik, Zamindar, and Honorary Magistrate, Rajshahi, Bengal; Babu Kedar Nath Banarji, Howrah, Bengal; Babu Nishi Kanta Ghosh, pleader and Chairman, Mymensingh Municipality, Bengal; Babu Jagat Narayan, District and Sessions Judge, United Provinces; Babu Jitendra Krishna Mukerji, Inspector of Police, United Provinces; Lala Janki Prasad of Khurja, United Provinces; Babu Sarup Narain of Farrukabad, United Provinces; Thakur Thamman Singh, Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies in United Provinces; Babu Chandra Shikhar Malik, Benares State, United Provinces; Rai Sahibzaza Amar Nathdub, Registrar, Lahore, Punjab; Rai Sahib Pandit Divi Chand, pleader, Jullundur, Punjab; Babu Hemendra Lal Khastgir, M.A., Deputy Collector, Bihar and Orissa; Babu Shyam Lal Gupta, Sub-Divisional Officer, Kendrapara, Bihar and Orissa; Babu Gawari Shankar Ray of Cuttack, Bihar and Orissa; the Hon. Babu Lachhmi Prasad Singh of Monghyr, Bihar and Orissa; Babu Dalip Narayan Singh, Monghyr, Bihar and Orissa; Rai Sahib Jogesh Chandra Ray, M.A., Vidyanidhi (Puri), Professor of Botany, Gavenshaw College, Cuttack, Bihar and Orissa; Subedar Bansi Lal, Chindwin Battalion, Burma Military Police; Rai Sahib Harendranath Ray, Secretary and Chief Executive Officer, Nagpur Municipality, Central Provinces; Babu Baikantha Nath Sarma, Honorary Magistrate, Sylhet, Assam; Mr. Arabinda Prakash Mullick, Executive Engineer, Public Works Department Sylhet, Assam; Rai Sahib Bhai Lehna Singh, Extra Assistant Commissioner North-West Frontier Province; Rai Saheb Mulchand Lamba, Peshawar, North-West Frontier Province; Rai Sahib Seth Kesri Singh, banker of Kote in Rajputana; Rai Sahib Malik Khem Chand, Inspector of Police, Mesopotamia; Dr. Nagendra Nath Dutt, Rai Sahib of Rawalpindi, Punjab.

TO BE RAO BAHADUR.

Pishaka Sanyasayya Nayudu Garu, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Madras Presidency; Viswanadha Krishnaswami Jatavallabhar, Personal Assistant, Director of Public Instruction, Madras; Skottur Gopala Mudaliar Srinivasa Mudaliar, Merchant and Mirasidar, Mannargudi Tanjore District, Madras Presidency; Virya Appaswami Vandayar, Mirasidar, Tanjore District, Madras Presidency; Tamarapakam Varadarajulu Nayudu Garu, Judge, Court of Small Causes, Madras; Mattur Subramanya Ayyar Natesa Aiyyar Mirasidar and Chairman, Municipal Council, Mayavaram, Tanjore District, Madras Presidency; the Hon. Rai Sahib Venkatesh Shrinivas Naik, landholder, Dharwar, Bombay Presidency; Balkrishna Vijavarangam Mudliar, Special Magistrate, Poona Cantonment, Bombay Presidency; Rao Sahib Shripad Subrao Talmaki, Chairman, Shamrao Vithal Co-operative Society, Bombay; Gopal Ramchandra Balekundri, District Deputy Collector, Dharwar in Bombay Presidency; Seth Hirachand Nemchand Jhaveri, Surat, Bombay Presidency; Vinayak Babaji Joshi, Principal, Training College for Men, Dharwar, Bombay Presidency; Rao Sahib Vishnu Keshav Chaphekar, Temporary Engineer, Bombay Presidency; Moreshwar Baba Rane, Chief Judge of the Savantwadi State, Bombay Presidency; Mahadeo Yeshwant Dole, Professor of Physics, Government Arts College, Jubbulpore, Central Provinces; Dr. Wasudeo Ramchandra Bhat, Amraoti, Berar; Rao Sahib Seth Ramana Pulavva, of the firm of Ramana Pulavva and Sons, bankers and contractors, Polaram and Hyderabad (Deccan); Rao Sahib Nagarji Davabhai Naik, Superintendent of Office of the Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India and Director of Agricultural Research Institute and College, Pusa.

TO BE KHAN SAHEB.

Dorab Edelji Nagarvala, Contractor and Honorary Magistrate, Ahmednagar.

Merwanji Hirjibhai Kothawala, Abkari Contractor, Panch Mahals.

Shaikh Abdul Karim Nurudinmiyan, 3rd Grade, Inspector of Police, Panch Mahals.

TO BE RAO SAHEB.

Mr. Laxmi Narayan Bhavaniram, merchant, Sholapur; Mr. Ganvantrai H. Desai, Auditor, Co-operative Societies, Northern Division of Bombay Presidency; Mr. Manvantrai Chand Durai Desai, Honorary Organiser, Co-operative Societies, Kalol, Panch Mahals; Mr. Dhankar Govind Chube, 3rd Grade Inspector of Police, Bijapur; Mr. Vishnu Govindgede, Chief Officer, Nasik Municipality; Mr. Samrao Unnapa Belimahab, Assistant to the Municipal Commissioner, Bombay, and Superintendent Printing and Stationary. Mr. Dattatraya Krishna Upponi, retired Public Prosecutor, Kanara District. Mr. Mulloo Surajichakal, Senior Grade 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon in the Bombay Presidency. Rao Chajju Ram, of Daruhera, Gurgaon District.

Ittoo Chawan, 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon of Poona, Wagnalal Dharamchand Shah, Permanent Way Inspector, Metre Gauge System, Sabarmati, Bombay Baroda and Central India Railway; Daso Govind Nawalgund, Postmaster, Dharwar; Cuddalore Narayan Ramkrishna Reddy, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service.

NEWMARKET RACING.

RESULT OF NEW OAKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 1.

The following is the result of the New Oaks Stakes, the substitute for the Epsom Oaks, run at Newmarket to-day:—

Fifinella	1
Salamandra	2
Market Girl	3

Seven ran. Won by five lengths with half length between second and third.

Betting at the start was 13 to 8 on Fifinella, 8 to 1 against Salamandra and 20 to 1 against Market Girl.

APPEAL TO CONSTANTINE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, June 2.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" special cable says:—

A congress of foreign dwelling Greeks has wired to King Constantine requesting to order the army at any cost to drive the hereditary enemy from the sacred soil and thus preserve Greek independence and honour.

WHO'S WHO IN THE HONOURS.

Sir Stanley Reed, it is hardly necessary to state, is the Editor of the "Times of India." He began his journalistic career on the "Bristol Times and Mercury" in 1887, came to India in 1897 and succeeded Mr. Lovat Fraser as Editor of the "Times of India" in 1907. He represented Western India at the Imperial Press Conference in 1909 and was created an Hon. LL.D. of Glasgow University. He is Colonel-Commandant of the Bombay Light Horse and A.-D.-C. to the Viceroy and Hon. Secretary to numerous charitable and other organisations in the City of Bombay. He was special correspondent of the "Times of India" through the famine districts in 1900; the tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales in 1905-6; the Amir's visit to India, 1907; and Persian Gulf, 1907; and Delhi Durbar, 1911. He has published several books describing these tours. He was born in 1872 and married in 1901, the daughter of Mr. John Humphrey of Bombay. Lady Reed is an active worker in philanthropic movements and has done strenuous work as Hon. Secretary of the Bombay War Relief Fund (Women's Branch).

Sir Ratan Tata is the youngest son of the late Sir Jamshedji Tata and a partner of the famous firm of Tata and Sons, and the numerous allied enterprises. He has been a generous contributor to various social, philanthropic, industrial and economic organisations in India. He is interested in land development and building. He was born in 1871 and married in 1892 the youngest daughter of Mr. Ardesir Merwanji Sett.

Sir Frank H. Stewart has been a leading and militant member of the Mercantile Community in Bombay for many years past, and is a partner in Messrs. Gladstone, Wyllie and Co. He was President of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce in 1915 and was the representative of that body on the Imperial Council. He was created a C.I.E. in 1911.

Sir Charles William Chitty has been a judge of the Calcutta High Court since 1907. He formerly practised in Bombay and was Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes from 1891 to 1903 when he was appointed Officiating Judge of the Chief Court, Rangoon. In 1905 he became Additional Judge of the Chief Court of the Punjab.

Sir Alexander Cardew, K.C.S.I., has been a member of the Madras Executive Council since 1914. He entered the I.C.S. in 1881 and has been Collector of Madras, Chairman, Madras Harbour Board, and Chief Secretary to the Madras Government.

Sir Hugh Daly, K.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., has been Resident in Mysore since 1910. He entered the Army in 1883, served in the Burmese Expedition, 1886-1887, and was mentioned in despatches and entered the Indian Political Service in 1888.

Mr. L. Robertson, C.S.I., has been Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Political and Judicial Departments. He entered the Civil Service in 1882, was Under-Secretary to the Government of India, 1903-7, Private Secretary to the Governor of Bombay 1907-8, Secretary to Government of Bombay 1908-11, and Administrator, Junagarh State, 1911-13. He has published a Paper on the Canal Colonies read before the Society of Arts, 1907, for which he received a silver medal.

Mr. J. A. D. Macbain who gets a C.I.E., is a well-known figure in the commercial community of Bombay. He has been for a long time a member of the Municipal Corporation as the representative of the ratepayers of the Fort Ward. Ever since the war broke out, Mr. Macbain has been very beneficially active in connection with the work done by the Women's Branch of the War Relief Fund, Bombay.

The Hon. Nawab Syed Shamsul Huda who gets the K.C.I.E., is the Indian Member of the Bengal Executive Council. He has served on the Legislative Council of Eastern Bengal and Assam and represented the Mahomedan community of the Province on the Viceroy's first reformed Council. When he was appointed to the first Executive Council of the reconstituted Bengal Presidency, Nawab Shamsul Huda was one of the leaders of public opinion in his Province and was in the forefront of all movements concerning the Mahomedan community.

Sir James Dubouley, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., is too well-known as a Bombay Civilian and Private Secretary to Lord Hardinge to need description. He was created a K.C.I.E., in 1911.

Mr. I. G. Cuming, C.S.I., is one of the ablest of Bengal Civilians. He belongs to the Judicial Service, was Secretary in the Judicial Department and is now acting Judge of the Calcutta High Court.

The Hon. Raja Rampal Singh has been made a K.C.I.E. He is a well-known Talukdar of Oudh with pronounced liberal views. He was Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Provincial Educational Conference held last year at Lucknow and was also elected President of the All-India Social Conference. He has been a member of the U. P. Legislative Council for the last six years and has recently been elevated to the Imperial Legislative Council as the representative of the Oudh Talukadars.

The Hon. Captain Malik Umar Hayat Khan, K.C.I.E., belongs to the House of Tiwana, which has served the Government ever since the commencement of British rule in the Punjab. He was given a Commission as Honorary Lieutenant in 1901 and in July, 1911, was raised to the rank of Captain. He saw service in Somaliland and Tibet and was created a C.I.E. for his services. Malik Umar Hayat Khan has twice been nominated a member of the Punjab Legislative Council and he is at present a nominated member of the Viceroy's Council as a representative of the Mahomedan community of the Punjab. He was appointed Deputy Herald to his Majesty the late King-Emperor at Lord Curzon's Delhi Durbar, acted as a Herald at the Coronation Delhi Durbar of 1911, and went to the Front in France in 1914.

Lieut.-Colonel Jackson, who has been created a C.I.E., joined the Indian Medical Service in 1882 and has acted as Superintendent, Hyderabad Central Prison, Civil Surgeon, Resident Surgeon, St. George's Hospital, Bombay, and Professor, Grant Medical College. He is now the Inspector-General of Prisons in the Presidency and has been a nominated member of the Bombay Legislative Council where he latterly came into prominence as an uncompromising opponent of the indigenous systems of medicine.

Mian Mahomed Shafi, C.I.E., has since the elevation of Sardar Daljit Singh represented the non-official members of the Punjab Legislative Council on the Imperial Legislative Council. He has been the Secretary of the Old Punjab Moslem League and had once the honour of presiding at the annual session of the All-India Moslem League.

The Hon. Rao Bahadur G. K. Sathe becomes a C.I.E. He has served as a nominated member of the outgoing Bombay Legislative Council and was recently re-nominated. Rao Bahadur Sathe was also a member of the Committee appointed by Government of Bombay to consider and report on the question of the extension of local self-government in regard to local boards, whose report was published recently.

Her Highness the Maharani of Panna gets the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal. She is the talented daughter of the Maharajah of Bhavnagar and has exerted herself in the work of relieving the sufferings of the wounded in the war.

Mr. R. P. Masani, who gets the Kaiser-i-Hind Silver Medal, is the energetic Secretary of the Bombay Municipality and has exerted himself especially in the cause of the neglected Street Arabs of the City. Mr. Masani joined the Municipality as Assistant Municipal Secretary, and on the retirement of Mr. Wadia, was appointed Municipal Secretary.

Mr. Vaikunth Lalubhai Samaldas' selection for the Kaiser-i-Hind Silver Medal will be regarded as an honour to those engaged in the co-operative movement in the Presidency. After graduating in 1910, Mr. Vaikunth joined the Bombay Central Co-operative Bank and the success of the Bank in financing the co-operative movement in the Presidency has been largely due to the skill and efficiency and sympathy with which he has managed its affairs in an honorary capacity.

BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

AGENDA OF BUSINESS IN POONA SESSION.

The following is the preliminary list of business to be brought forward at a meeting of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bombay to be held in the Council Hall, Poona, Tuesday, the 20th instant at 12 noon:—

Before taking their seats all Additional Members, elected or nominated, will make an oath or affirmation of allegiance to the Crown.

Presentation of the budget of the Government of Bombay for the year 1916-17 and discussion thereon:—

Bills:—

A Bill further to amend the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888 (Bill No. IV. of 1916)—First Reading.

Elections:—

(A) Two Members for the Governor-General's Legislative Council will be elected by the non-official Additional Members.

(B) One Member for the Governor-General's Legislative Council will be elected by the Muhammadan non-official Additional Members.

Papers Presented to the Council:—

1. Letter from the Government of India, Legislative Department, No. 843, dated the 2nd March 1916—Returning, with the assent of his Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General signified thereon, the authentic copy of the Bombay Medical (Amendment) Law.

2. Withdrawal of the Gujarat Talukdar's Bill (No. XI of 1912) and the City of Bombay Improvement Trust Bill (No. VI of 1913).

3. Letter from the Government of India, Legislative Department No. 2687, dated the 24th May 1916—Returning with the assent of his Excellency the Veceroy and Governor-General signified thereon, the authentic copy of the Bombay Landing and Wharfage Fees (Amendment) Law, 1916.

4. Letter from the Government of India, Legislative Department, No. 2694, dated the 24th May 1916—Returning with the assent of his Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General signified thereon, the authentic copy of the Bombay Medical (Amendment) Law, 1916.

KING'S BIRTHDAY.

BOMBAY EAST INDIANS' GREETING.

The Bombay East Indian Association ventures to send its humble tribute of greeting on his Majesty's auspicious birthday. It earnestly prays that it may please the Almighty to spare the precious life of our august and beloved King-Emperor for many years, and also to give complete victory to the British and Allied Arms.

BOMBAY CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the above Association will be held on Tuesday, the 6th June, at 6 p.m. (S.T.) when Mr. Talmaki will read a paper on "State Aid for Housing."

JUTE GAMBLING IN CALCUTTA

METHODS OF TWO SECTIONS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, June 2.

In an article on the present system of jute gambling in Bhita Bazar the "Empire" writes:—"The curious thing is that there are two sections of Marwaris engaged in the gambling, one is fairly honest, they may be described respectively as the Harrison Road section and the Burra Bazaar section. There are differences in their methods.

The Harrison Road section has been working on what may be called a fair basis, even if it deals with gambling, that is to say, as far as the settlement days are concerned, the price of a number of leading balers was accepted and settlements made thereon.

The Burra Bazaar section has, however, created a ring which has departed from this method of dealing and has instituted a system of making its own prices for settlement day.

There was much feeling upon this point, the Harrison Road section desiring to do business on what it regards as fair basis and the Burra Bazaar ring insisting upon its unfair methods. So strong did the feeling rise that the Harrison Road section ten or twelve days ago, closed down and refused to operate saying that their way of business could not contend with that of Burra Bazaar.

THE DIFFERENCE IN MODUS OPERANDI.

After a visit of the police to Cotton Street (Burra Bazaar) on Tuesday night the market was rushed up to Rs. 58 and was not opened yesterday until night when the price was settled at Rs. 57/11. Seeing that the Burra Bazaar section was closed yesterday, although it was the settling day, the Harrison Road shops began to do business. They closed their month at Rs. 55/7, the market price for real commodity was between Rs. 53/8 and Rs, 54. Here may be seen the immorality of this system which prevails, the two groups close their settlement one at about two rupees above the real price and the other at four rupees over the pucca price and over two rupees above the other gambling section. Precisely the same market conditions obtain for one as for the other. That fact alone proves that Government should take action."

SHIPPERS' RESPONSE TO MR. GUBBAY'S SUGGESTION.

Mr. E. A. Gubbay in the course of a long letter writes:—"I wish to thank the jute shippers for their response in not purchasing any baled jute on behalf of the Bhita Bazaar ring. The response was practically instantaneous and it had the same effect on the members of the bull-ring as a bull in a China shop. Up to 11 p.m. last night bulls were absolutely paralysed. Just about this time the Marwari cunning began to revive the courage of bull operators and after a prolonged deliberation up to small hours of the morning carried on under clandestine conditions settlement rate of Rs. 57/11 was proclaimed at 4/30 a.m. by the Cotton Street gamblers. This is Rs. 4/3 above the market. Not only do the bears lose what they were entitled to take under normal conditions of market but they are tricked out of their margins. This is a case for immediate redress by the police and calls for the intervention of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce at once. It is this form of gambling that Government should weed out at once."

IMPROVEMENT TRUST CHAWLS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Will you please give publicity to the following in your esteemed and widely read paper and oblige.

Those who had an opportunity to visit Improvement Trust Chawls at Chowpati, built of iron-sheets, specially for working classes, would, I assure, must have come with the impression of the insanitary surroundings and conditions in which these chawls are erected.

The first and the foremost thing that a visitor will be struck with, is the horrible, nasty and poisonous smell arising from the adjoining open-air fish market, and secondly the malarious site chosen for habitation of the people.

It appears very pitiable when one sees that these poor people, after their day's hard work, come to their homes, have to breathe unhealthy and obnoxious smells and inhale poisonous gases arriving from the market. When one thinks of this deplorable sight he will without hesitation come to the conclusion that it is because of their poverty that they have to live there in such miserable and unhealthy conditions.

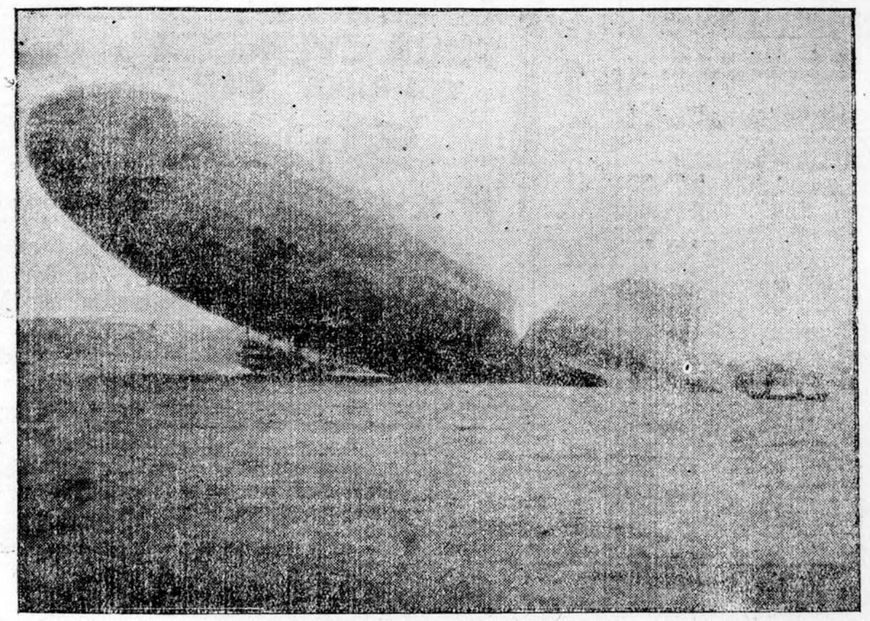
The rooms in which these poeple are living are of such a width that two men can hardly sleep in one. Besides that the chawls being erected of iron sheets one would imagine how people should make their abode in it in these hot days. Even when a man under a punkha feels the heat unbearable one should conceive what these poor people must feel like when the iron-sheets get heated by the rising sun.

The maximum population of all the Trust chawls is about 15,000 adults and though the Trust comes to a loss of annas two and pies six per head of the maximum adult population of the chawls, still, is it not the duty of the Trust to remove all their inconveniences and put them in a healthy condition? It is a regrettable thing that the people have to bring to the Trust's notice all such things when the Trust is meant for improving these things. The Trust is now applying new methods of building chawls and dealing with insanitary areas, still they should not ignore the unfavourable conditions of the old chawls, where the sanitary conditions are ever going from bad to worse.—Yours, etc.,

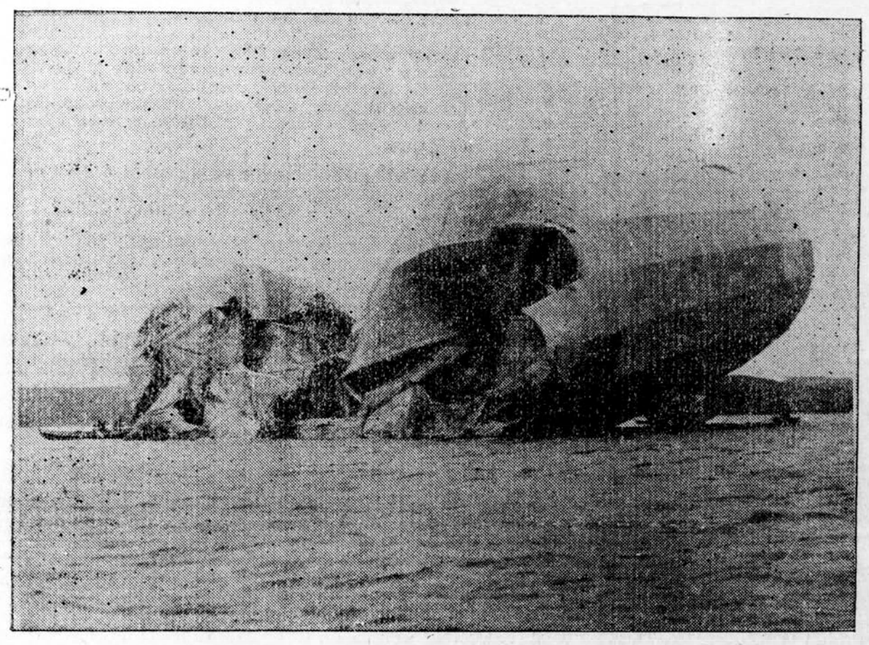
A. S. D.

Bombay, 29th May, 1916.

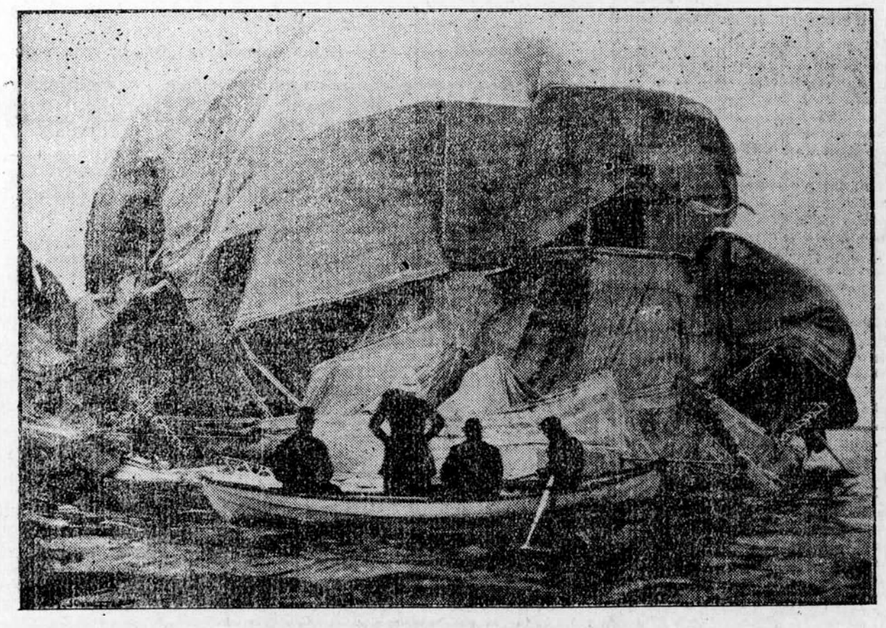
WRECKED ZEPPELIN OFF NORWEGIAN COAST.



GENERAL VIEW OF THE WRECKED ZEPPELIN L 20 BEFORE THE VESSEL WAS DRIVEN ASHORE. THE BIG GASBAG WITH A HUGE RENT IN HER ENVELOPE AFT IS SEEN LYING ON THE WATERS OF THE FJORD.



THE WRECKED AIRSHIP AFTER THE VESSEL HAS BEGUN TO BREAK UP.



Photos by "Central News."

A PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN AT CLOSE QUARTERS SHOWING A SECTION OF THE MUCH BATTERED ENVELOPE PARTS OF THE SMASHED FRAMEWORK. IT CAN BE SEEN TOGETHER WITH (ON RIGHT) ONE OF THE BROKEN PROPELLERS. A PARTY OF SIGHTSEERS IN A BOAT ARE INSPECTING THE UNWIELDY AND DANGEROUS MASS OF WRECKAGE.

SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.

IMPROVEMENTS IN WHEAT CULTIVATION.

A Paper by Mr. James MacKenna, Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India, on "Scientific Agriculture in India," was read on April 27 by Sir Steyning Edgerley at a meeting of the Indian Section of the Royal Society of Arts. Sir Robert Carlyle presided.

After sketching the progress in England of the application of science to agriculture, Mr. MacKenna showed how the development found its reflection in India. Not until the Budget of Lord Curzon's Government in 1905-6 were funds provided for a Central Imperial Staff with workers and farms in each of the provinces. There was now a series of fully equipped agricultural colleges. The great mass of the agriculturists of India were small-holders, and the standard of education among them as a rule, was low. Striking results achieved had justified the wisdom of bringing the conclusions of science to bear on Indian agriculture, while attention was given to means of helping immediately local cultivation and individual cultivators. The Mendelian methods had already achieved wonders, notably in wheat, tobacco, and, to a less extent, in cotton. In wheat the greatest achievements had been reached by systematic selection and comparison. There was good reason to believe that Pusa wheats obtained either by selection and pure culture or by hybridisation were the future wheats of India. It was a modest estimate to assume that in the course of a very few years the area under Pusa wheats would reach at least five million acres. This would mean an increase in the value of the agricultural produce of India in one crop only of £5,000,000. He claimed that, on a conservative estimate, the annual increase to the value of the agricultural products of India as a result of the labours of the agricultural departments was already over £2,250,000, and that the policy of agricultural development which established the Pusa College was fully justified. In the harmonious union of scientific agriculture with co-operative societies among small cultivators lay the economic future of India.

Sir Robert Carlyle referred to the vast rice area of India and of her great cotton and sugar output, and said she also had a large wheat output. Nevertheless, the yield per acre was meagre, and the application of science was badly needed. The agricultural problem, in his opinion, was the greatest they had to face in India.

CONFERENCE AT AHMEDNAGAR.

FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

AHMEDNAGAR, June 1.*

The President of the Ahmednagar District Conference, Mr. N. C. Kelkar, editor of the "Kesari" arrived on Thursday with Messrs. B. G. Tilak, Altekar, Lavate and others, and was warmly received on the station. A big procession was then formed which passed through crowded streets. The merchants of Ahmednagar presented two addresses to Mr. Tilak in silver caskets.

MR. TILAK ADDRESSES OPEN-AIR MEETING.

On Thursday evening Mr. Tilak addressed an open-air meeting on the Home Rule which was very largely attended. Mr. Tilak explained that by Home Rule Indians wanted self-government under British rule and it was no sedition in trying for that self-government. The present was the most opportune time for pressing the claims of Home Rule.

Mr. Aitekar of Karad exhorted the people to leave no stone unturned in the constitutional efforts to obtain self-government and requested people to become members of the Home Rule League, Bombay branch, startd at Belgaum. The president, Mr. Chaukar thanked Mr. Tilak for coming in spite of his bad health and lecturing on the Home Rule.

The proceedings of the first District Conference of Ahmednagar commenced this morning. Messrs. Tilak and Kelkar received ovations on entering the hall. Messrs. Altekar, Pradhan, Lavate, Samant, Lele, Gokhale, Secretary of Sarvajanik Sabha, were among the distinguished guests on the platform, there were many more from other districts.

Rao Bahadur Chitale, Chairman of the Reception Committee, welcomed the delegates who attended from distant parts in the hot season. He was glad that the Bombay Provincial Conference had passed the compromise resolution, both parties had done nothing after the Surat split. He gave Mr. Tilak every credit for passing the compromise resolution at Belgaum. Mr. Chitale then requested the delegates to take up the resolutions which were mostly concerning affairs of the district.

MR. KELKAR ON PROVINCIAL AUTONOMY.

Mr. Kelkar, editor of the "Kesari" and the "Mahratta" was then unanimously elected president. He spoke for an hour and a half and was heard with rapt attention. The President explained the importance of district conferences and requested the Nogar citizens to hold regular conferences like those of Satara and Colaba districts. He said that districts with a small area and population could do much and Belgaum was no bigger than the two districts. The people of districts should try to imitate the small European states in raising their status. England had done much for them but yet much more remains to be done. The Congress has so long demanded reform of the Legislative Councils but it was now the time for the demand of self-government. Dr. Dadabhai Naoroji worked for fifty years and then preached self-government as the panacea for removing the political grievances. Under the present system even the whole population of a district cannot do any thing to ameliorate their condition. What is wanted is provincial autonomy.

At the evening session resolutions were passed expressing loyalty to the Crown and one on "Swarajya," both these resolutions being put from the chair. A resolution on the abolition of the Arms Act and the introduction of a voluntary system was proposed by Mr. Phirode and seconded by Mr. Sant, pleader of Sangamner.

Mr. Saptarshi, pleader, spoke on the Swadeshi resolution.

Rao Bahadur Chitale ably moved the resolutions regarding survey settlement in the Shevgaon taluka and the faulty working of the Land Revenue Code in respect of revenue collections.

Mr. P. J. Mead, Collector, and Mr. G. H. Garret, Assistant Collector, attended the Conference and heard the deliberations on the Survey Settlement resolution.

The session adjourned till Friday.

(*Delayed in transmission.)

Dr. K. C. Chatterji, D.D., of the American Presbyterian Mission, whose death at Phillour was reported on the 1st instant was one of the pioneer band of Indian missionaries, who along with the late Rev. Golaknath had dedicated their lives for the work in the Punjab. He did lasting services to Hoshiarpur both as a minister of religion and councillor of the Hoshiarpur municipality, of which he was for many years its respected president.

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CHARGE OF DEFAMATION.

EDITOR OF "MOULMEIN ADVERTISER" FINED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

RANGOON, June 2.

The Subdivisional Magistrate of Moulmein convicted P. T. Christensen, Editor of the "Moulmein Advertiser," of defamation and sentenced him to a fine of Rs. 300 (with costs of the case), or three months' simple imprisonment, at the instance of Mr. W. P. Mitchell, Honorary Lieutenant of the Moulmein Voluntary Artillery Corps. On appeal the Sessions Judge has upheld the conviction and sentence. Briefly the facts of the case are:

The complainant is a member of M. V. Artillery Corps Club committee, accused not being one. On May 14th, 1915, the committee introduced a bye-law, by which it reserved to itself the right to refuse a non-member admission to the club dances and at a subsequent meeting on June 22nd the resolution was put into operation and the accused was written to not to attend as he was objected to by the members. Thereupon, the accused made a fruitless attempt to get the resolution withdrawn and subsequently he wrote an article in his paper on August 2nd. The gist of the article was that the committee consisted of three members, one a naturalised German, the second a German or half-German, who made Burma his fixed residence, and the third, the complainant an Austrian or half-Austrian who made fixed residence in Burma. He also alleged that the three members had in revenge of the charges brought against people of their position conspired to prevent the accused attending dances and entered his name in the committee's minute book, which they had no right to do.

The defence was that the imputations were made for public good and in the interest of the accused. The Magistrate held the charges to be very serious imputations against the complainant.

The accused has filed an application for revision by the Chief Court.

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RECEIPTS.				
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Contributions from the Bombay Municipality O/a Lady Hardinge War Hospital		30,000	0	0
Contribution from Commissioner of Police O/a American Mission Hospital Basra		5,076	0	
Contributions received in securities 3½% Government Paper.	6,600			
4% Bombay Improvement Trust Bonds due 1963	11,000			
		17,600	0	0
Interest received		1,27,320	14	0
		47,41,683	13	3
DISBURSEMENTS.				
Contributions towards Relief, etc.				
St. John Ambulance Association Red Cross Depot		5,000	0	0
Belgian Relief Fund		67,846	11	0
Servian Red Cross Fund		22,559	1	6
Montenegrin Red Cross Fund		3,750	0	0
Royal Army Temperance Association		6,500	0	0
Young Men's Christian Association (in aid of work in connection with troops in the Field, in Hospitals and Convalescent depots)		11,466	15	4
For improving the amenities of the Troops		30,000	0	0
Women's Branch Bombay Presidency War & Relief Fund		1,69,809	0	0
Sind Women's Branch, Presidency War & Relief Fund		10,000	0	0
Scottish Women's Fund for Hospital at Salonika		14,883	11	6
For the benefit of wounded Turks and Arabs		10,000	0	0
Allowances, &c. paid to meet appeals for assistance		9,783	5	9
		3,61,589	13	1
St. John Ambulance War Hospital, Derha Dun		6,000	0	0
Expenditure on Lady Hardinge War Hospital, Gerard Freeman-Thomas War Hospital and Bombay Presidency Base Hospital at Alexandria.		9,90,075	12	8
Purchase & equipment of Motor Ambulances		47,099	13	11
Suspense A/c amount advanced to the Collector of West Khandesh for the relief of distress among the Momiees of Dhulia		3,000	0	0
Sundries, (stationery, telegrams, postages, &c.)		6,595	11	8
		14,14,361	3	4
Balance at credit of current account in Bank of Bombay on 31-5-1916	9,722-9-11			
*Amount placed on Fixed Deposit in Bank of Bombay.	33,00,000			
Securities deposited with Bank of Bombay on 4-9-14 for safe custody (par value)	15,000			
Securities deposited with Bank of Bombay on 13-4-15 for safe custody (par value)	2,600			
		33,27,322	9	11
		47,41,683	13	3

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An incident in connection with the execution of the Irish rebels on Thursday morning in mail week has come to light through the "Births, Deaths, and Marriages" column of the "Irish Times." In the list of marriages was the following notice:—

Plunkett and Gifford.—May 3, 1916, at Dublin, Joseph Plunkett to Grace Gifford.

From inquiries made it appears that the name Plunkett refers to the rebel Joseph Plunkett, who was shot at dawn on Thursday. By special permission the marriage ceremony was performed in the place where he was incarcerated a few hours before he was executed.

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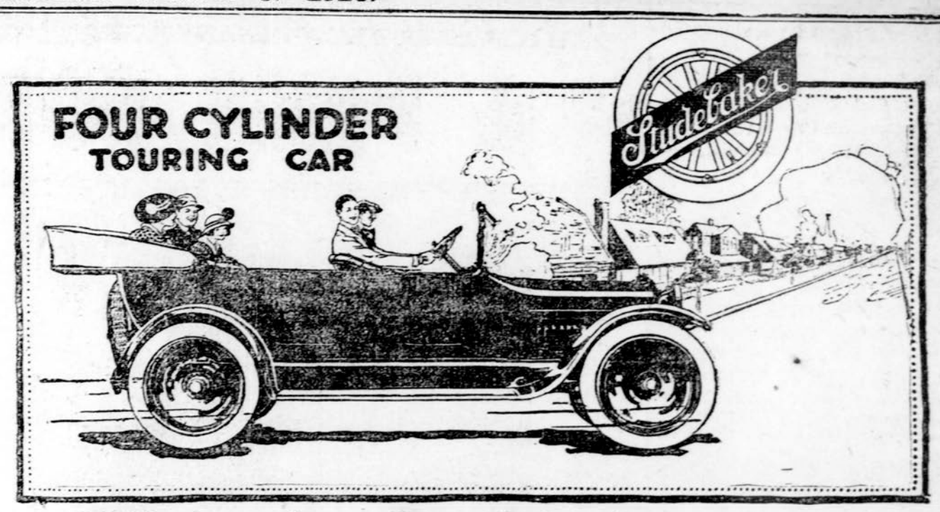

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SAVOURY CROUTES.

Cut some thin rounds of bread and fry them in a little butter. Now poured up half a 6d. tin of potted fish paste with one egg which has been lightly boiled a little parsley, and pepper and salt. Spread this on each round, put two together and wrap up in a little grease-proof paper. These croutes can be varied and are extremely good.

A PORTABLE SALAD.

Make some patty cases of short crust very thin and bake them. When cold fill up with some shredded lettuce, watercress, tomato, and hard-boiled egg, a little ham or cold beef; all of this should be moistened with a little salad dressing. Stick two cases together by brushing the edges with a little white of egg. If liked the filling can consist of a fish salad or chicken, game, etc.; any little odd pieces left over which are too small to use in any other way.

CHEESE SANDWICHES.

Break one egg into a saucepan, add half an ounce of butter, two teaspoonfuls of milk, two ounces grated cheese, pepper and salt, and stir over a gentle flame. When set allow to cool, and then spread on slices of brown bread and butter, or, if liked, the filling may be spread on water biscuits. These are excellent.

STUFFED EGGS.

Hard boil some eggs, cut in half, remove the yolks. Pound these smooth, together with any remains of cooked fish or ham or whatever is at hand; season well and fill up the egg halves. Wrap each in a lettuce-leaf.

FRUIT CAKE CARTLETS.

Break up some slices of stale fruit cake and add to it one-third of the quantity of chopped-up apple, a squeeze of lemon juice, mix together, fill up with this mixture some little pastry cases which have been cooked. Put two together, sticking the edges with a little egg. Chopped nuts and banana are excellent used in this way.

SARDINE ROLLS.

Make some short crust and roll out thinly, cut into oblong pieces about three by one and a half inches in size. Place on each a sardine, a little shredded lettuce, cayenne pepper, and salt. Moisten edges of pastry, fold over, press edges well together, and bake for fifteen minutes in hot oven. These are excellent for carrying and very nourishing.

THE PREVAILING FASHIONS.

TEA AND REST GOWNS.

Ever since the commencement of the war nothing has made such tremendous strides toward satorial perfection as those beautiful rest and tea gowns which have lately come in for so much attention at the hands of the foremost fashion designers, writes a lady correspondent in the "Pall Mall Gazette." The reason for this is not difficult to find, as ever since war put an end to social activity on anything like an universal scale, and the majority of women found themselves with little or no opportunity for wearing elaborate evening toilettes, the tea gown has taken on a new lease of life, emerging from comparative insignificance to become one of the most useful and popular adjuncts of the up-to-date wardrobe.

Every day sees new models in these fascinating garments arriving from all the great fashion centres. These are copied in a dozen different schemes of colour and distributed broadcast in all directions to do duty for dinner gowns for home wear or theatre and concert frocks. The leading characteristic of the most up-to-date tea gown is that they are far less suggestive of boudoir fashions than their prototypes of yesterday. In nearly all the new models one notices that the skirts are far shorter and less inclined to trailing dressing-gown styles, while bodices are far more compact and dressy than before—indeed, many of the best designs are scarcely distinguishable from evening frocks, although they require little or no fastening, a well-arranged belt or girdle taking the place of tedious and intricate hook and eye fastenings.

Silk net, chiffon, tule, lace, beautiful rich brocades, and soft-hued satins all play their part toward contributing to the glories of gowns of this description. One of the most attractive of the new models, that has just come straight from Paris takes the form of a delightful white net underdress mounted over pale pink chiffon; the skirt, which is fully gathered round the waist, is joined to the dainty bodice by an unstanding frill beading, and hangs in full gathered pleats to the hem, where it finishes with a narow ruche of the white net, amongst the folds, of which are sewn small round roses made of deep pink taffeta lightly sprinkled with diamante dewdrops.

Covering the low cut, transparent bodice is a coat of pale leaf-green ninon, which flows down nearly to the hem of the skirt behind, leaving the whole of the front of the dress exposed; while a dainty bow of narrow leaf-green ribbon is placed underneath the collar of the coat behind, and the long flowing ends allowed to trail down behind, imparting a touch of novelty to the whole.

NET OR NINON COATS.

These long transparent net or ninon coats are a very prominent feature of all the newest tea gowns. One sees them worn over low-cut Princess robes made of beautiful silk or satin brocades, one particularly attractive model of this description being fashioned of blue and silver brocade made up into a sleeveless Juliet underdress, which is finished off with a plaited girdle of the brocade, while over it is worn a long graceful coat of very pale blue net made with the new angel sleeves, that finish in deep net frills measuring some ten or twelve inches in length, which fall loosely over the arm from just below the shoulder line.

Large, loosely looped sleeves made somewhat after the kimono design, and fashioned of filmy lace of fine tulle or net, are yet another noticeable feature of the most up-to-date tea gowns, which allow great scope for ornamentation. Many of the most beautiful are trimmed in Oriental fashion, with massive bead and silk and tinsel embroideries which form a vest, while hand-made embroidered and beaded ceintures and low-set jewelled belts are a favourite ornamentation.

One all-black tea gown made for the most part of fine shadow lace mounted on tulle, was lightened by a deep loose waist belt made of tea chains of brilliants set alternately with small jet beads: while a gown of Oriental blue satin had a bodice trimming and belt made of imitation sapphires, which produced a magnificent if somewhat barbaric effect.

TAFEETAS.

The new pompadour taffeta that has a black background covered with posy-clusters of tiny rosebuds is also being utilised in Paris for the creation of beautiful rest gowns. This is mostly used to drape the skirts only, which are cut short and show a scalloped hem set over a foundation of black lace or net—a novel trimming for the same being bands of the new net tucks, which are made by sewing tiny bands of the taffeta on to a net foundation, a device that gives the appearance of little groups of tucks. This trimming is set at intervals down the taffeta overskirt, and the effect is extremely novel. The bodices of such gowns are very dainty affairs, made of black silk net draped over lovely fine ivory white lace, which in turn is mounted over a foundation of flesh pink ninon or net, while narrow ribbon braces of pink or green or blue or any colour that predominates in the Pompadour design, are set between the net and the lace, imparting just the right note of colour.

Although one finds a great majority of the new tea gowns carried out in the new pastel tones of colour ranging from pale pink to soft blue and delicate tones of mauve and purple, there is no ignoring the fact that yellow is the colour above all others that is going to be used for tea gowns in the future. This is of a bright daffodil shade, very clear and very brilliant, which proves astonishingly becoming to the majority of wearers. One finds this colour in silk, in crepe de chine, and the new brocades, while it even forms a background for the new Pompadour taffeta referred to above.

One very beautiful tea gown showing the attractions of the new colour was made in daffodil taffeta, fashioned with a straight, fully gathered skirt, the hem of which was sewn with deep maroon and purple appliqué roses, set stiffly at intervals all the way round, while the bodice consisted of a broad sash belt of maroon and purple Futurist brocade ribbon, over which was worn a long yellow chiffon coat edged with gold, while the entire front of the gown was decorated with an old-fashioned corsage spray of purple clematis that fell in trails almost to the hem of the skirt.

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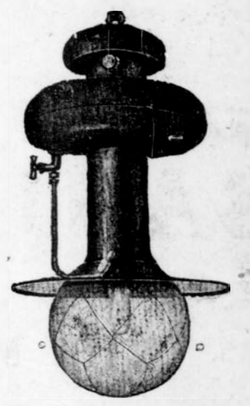

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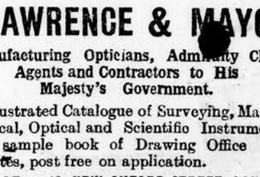

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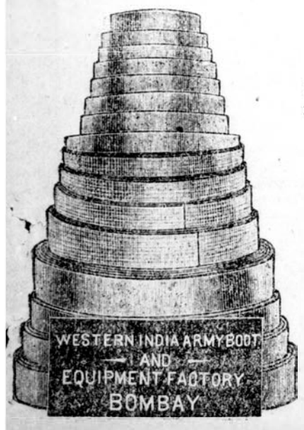

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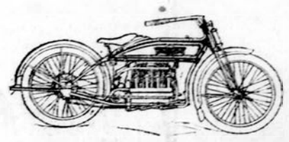
1916  1916

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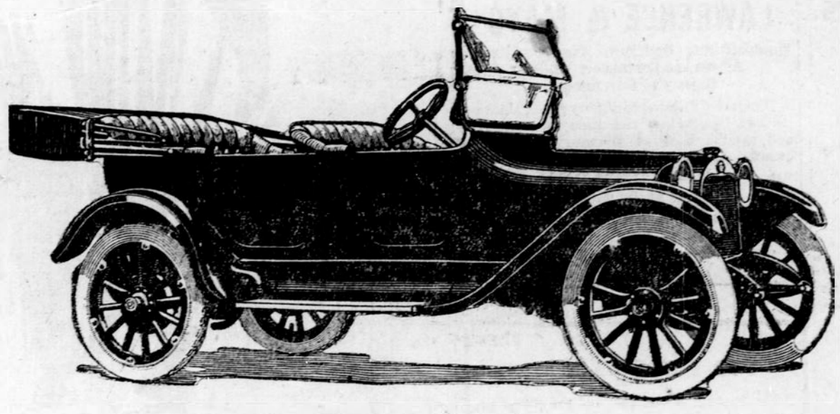

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